

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Ferry System Interoperability Enhancements - \$1,121,795]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Port of San Francisco to accept and expend a grant in the**  
4 **amount of \$1,121,795 from the Department of Homeland Security, 2009 Port Security**  
5 **Grant Program for Ferry System Security Interoperability Enhancements at the Port of**  
6 **San Francisco.**

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8 WHEREAS, the Department of Homeland Security Infrastructure Protection Program's  
9 Port Security Grant Program (PSGP) provides grant funding to port areas for the protection of  
10 critical port infrastructure from terrorism; and the PSGP funds are primarily intended to assist  
11 ports in enhancing risk management capabilities, increasing domain awareness and  
12 improving capabilities for prevention, detection, response and recovery from attacks involving  
13 improvised explosive devices and other nonconventional weapons; and

14 WHEREAS, on January 13, 2009, the Port of San Francisco submitted an application  
15 for grant funds under the PSGP; and

16 WHEREAS, On January 17, 2011, the Port of San Francisco was awarded \$1,121,795  
17 in grant funds for the Ferry System Security Interoperability Enhancements (the "grant"); and

18 WHEREAS, On January 20, 2012, through Resolution 12-01, the Port Commission  
19 authorized Port staff to accept and expend the Homeland Security, Port Security Grant  
20 Program funds; and

21 WHEREAS, DHS requires a 25% match (\$373,932) of which has been provided by the  
22 Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) through the RM2 Real-time Transit  
23 Information Grant program; and

24 WHEREAS, This grant does not create any new positions and will not require an  
25 amendment to the Annual Salary Ordinance; and

