

1 [Supporting an Application for Federal Funding to Evaluate the Use of Maglev in San  
2 Francisco]

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4 **Resolution Supporting an Application for Federal Funding to Evaluate the Use of**  
5 **Maglev In San Francisco.**

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7 WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco are continuing to experience  
8 significant traffic congestion due to current and planned development, and tourism is a  
9 mainstay of the economy of the City and County of San Francisco, and;

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11 WHEREAS, The technology of magnetic levitation of public transportation vehicles  
12 (Maglev) has been proven by daily operation in China and Japan and,

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14 WHEREAS, Such operation has demonstrated that Maglev has successfully and  
15 safely carried tens of millions of people in urban and semi-urban environments,

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17 WHEREAS, In addition to operation without conflicting with existing transportation  
18 modalities such as cars, and trains, Maglev is attractive in its own right as a tourist attraction,  
19 now, therefore, be it

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21 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors supports and endorses a request for  
22 federal funding to evaluate the use and application of Maglev within the City and County of  
23 San Francisco, and,  
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1           FURTHER RESOLVED, That such evaluation shall be targeted to potential Maglev  
2 demonstration projects that can reasonably be funded by support from present or future  
3 federal transportation programs, and it is finally; and, be it

4           FURTHER RESOLVED, That, the City and County of San Francisco supports our  
5 Congressional Delegation's efforts to assist in facilitating the funding of such evaluation.  
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