

1 [Resolution requesting Caltrans participate in San Francisco Workforce Programs.]

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3 **Resolution requesting Caltrans and its contractors and subcontractors actively**
4 **participate in San Francisco Workforce Development Programs when hiring for**
5 **projects to be constructed within the City and County of San Francisco.**

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7 WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States passed and the President signed the
8 American Reconstruction and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) in January of this year; and

9 WHEREAS, ARRA funds are intended to stimulate local economies by providing
10 additional start-up funding for “shovel- ready” projects; and,

11 WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco identified over \$1 billion dollar’s
12 worth of shovel ready projects a majority of which are to be constructed through city agencies
13 and departments; and,

14 WHEREAS, City Departments and Agencies are governed by city policy to let contracts
15 that include provisions for utilizing Workforce Development Programs; and

16 WHEREAS, The Doyle Drive replacement project which has received ARRA funds and
17 will be managed by Caltrans who is not bound by city policies regarding Workforce
18 development; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco by and through its Board of
20 Supervisors hereby requests that Caltrans and its contractors and subcontractors actively
21 participate in San Francisco’s Workforce Development Programs when pursuing projects
22 within the City and County of San Francisco; and, be it

23 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Board is directed to deliver a fully
24 conformed copy of this resolution to the City’s state legislative delegation, the Governor and
25 the Director of the California Department of Transportation.