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Resolution authorizing the Department of Department of the Environment to accept and expend a grant in the amount of \$25,000 from the Environmental Protection Agency to provide training to municipal staff involved in construction and renovation of municipal buildings on Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED<sup>TM</sup>) sustainable

building standards and to develop a database to track municipal green building

projects and their environmental benefits to the City and County of San Francisco.

WHEREAS, Based upon evaluation of responses to an Environmental Protection Agency request for proposals in the area of Resource Conservation, the Department of the Environment's Green Building Program was selected to be the recipient of \$25,000 in funding to provide training to municipal design staff on LEED<sup>TM</sup> sustainable building standards and develop a database to track municipal green building projects and their environmental benefits to the City and County of San Francisco; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of the Environment is responsible for implementation of the City and County of San Francisco's Resource Efficient Building Ordinance; and,

WHEREAS, training municipal staff involved in construction and renovation of municipal buildings in LEED<sup>TM</sup> standards will enable the Department to achieve the goals of the Resource Efficient Building Ordinance; and,

WHEREAS, The LEED<sup>TM</sup> system, developed by the US Green Building Council, provides a definitive standard for what constitutes a green building and is rapidly gaining national and international acceptance as a common measurement of sustainable achievement; and,

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WHEREAS, developing a database to track these green building projects will enable the Department of the Environment to assess their environmental benefits to the City and County of San Francisco; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors authorizes the Director of the Department of the Environment to accept and expend funding of \$25,000 from the Environmental Protection Agency to provide LEED<sup>TM</sup> training to municipal staff and develop a database to track the City's green building projects; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Department of the Environment work with the US Green Building Council to provide the LEED<sup>TM</sup> training to municipal staff.

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October 7, 2003 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Daly, Dufty, Gonzalez, Hall, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Newsom,

Peskin, Sandoval Absent: 1 - Ammiano

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 7, 2003 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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**Date Approved** 

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

Gloria L. Young Clerk of the Board