

1 [Reconsideration of Board of Supervisors Raise.]

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3 **Resolution requesting that the Civil Service Commission reconsider its decision to give**  
4 **the Board of Supervisors a \$74,735 raise.**

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6 WHEREAS, on November 5, 2002 the voters approved Proposition J; and,

7 WHEREAS, Proposition J authorized the Civil Service Commission to set the salaries  
8 for the Board of Supervisors; and,

9 WHEREAS, on May 19, 2003 the Civil Service Commission voted to give the Board of  
10 Supervisors a \$74,735 raise to \$112,320; and,

11 WHEREAS, the City is not giving a raise to City employees due to the projected \$347  
12 million shortfall; and,

13 WHEREAS, the City has requested City employees to give back \$90 million by  
14 contributing 7.5% to their employee retirement contribution; and,

15 WHEREAS, departmental budgets are being reduced, programs cut and employees  
16 laid off to balance the budget; and,

17 WHEREAS, this proposed raise would mean further reductions in programs or further  
18 layoffs; and,

19 WHEREAS, Proposition J allows the Civil Service Commission to change its  
20 determination; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors request the Civil Service Commission to  
22 change its decision to give the Board of Supervisors a \$74,735 raise per member.

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