

1 [Supporting the Purchase of Esprit Park]

2 **URGING THE SAN FRANCISCO OPEN SPACE/PARK RENOVATION CITIZENS**  
3 **ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND THE GENERAL MANAGER OF THE SAN FRANCISCO**  
4 **RECREATION AND PARK DEPARTMENT TO MAINTAIN THE PRIORITY ONE STATUS**  
5 **FOR THE ACQUISITION OF ESPRIT PARK AND THE RECOMMENDED ALLOCATION OF**  
6 **\$1 MILLION FROM THE FY 1999-2000 OPEN SPACE ACQUISITION BUDGET TOWARD**  
7 **THE PURCHASE OF ESPRIT PARK.**

8 WHEREAS, on December 1, 1998, the San Francisco Open Space/Park Renovation  
9 Citizens Advisory Committee awarded Priority One Status and recommended a preliminary  
10 budget allocation of \$1 million toward the purchase of Esprit Park; and

11 WHEREAS, Although privately developed and owned, the Park has always been open  
12 to the public and has provided priceless park land otherwise unavailable to the diverse  
13 communities of Dogpatch, Potrero Hill, and the Third Street corridor for over fifteen years; and

14 WHEREAS, The available property in surrounding neighborhoods continue to be  
15 developed largely as live-work units which do not provide open space for their occupants or  
16 the community; and

17 WHEREAS, The current needs for parks and open space will become even more acute  
18 as the eastern portion of San Francisco continues to be developed; and

19 WHEREAS, The City's purchase of Esprit Park is a unique opportunity to obtain an  
20 existing, fully-developed park almost two acres in size and complete with mature trees,  
21 strolling paths and open lawns; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
23 urges the Open Space/Park Renovation Citizens Advisory Committee to maintain their Priority  
24 One status and preliminary budget allocation of \$1 million toward the purchase of Esprit Park;  
25 and be it

Supervisors Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Newsom, Yaki, Teng, Katz, Leno

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

1           FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the General Manager of  
2 the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department to maintain the Priority One status and  
3 budget allocation of \$1 million toward the purchase of Esprit Park in his FY 1999-2000 budget  
4 proposal to the San Francisco Recreation and Park Commission and San Francisco Planning  
5 Commission.

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7           **SUPERVISOR AMMIANO**

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### Resolution

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**File Number:** 982088

**Date Passed:**

Resolution urging the San Francisco Open Space/Park Renovation Citizens Advisory Committee and the General Manager of the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department to maintain the Priority One Status for the acquisition of Esprit Park and the recommended allocation of \$1 million from the fiscal year 1999-2000 open space acquisition budget toward the purchase of Esprit Park.

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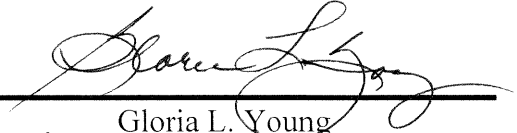
December 21, 1998 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Leno, Medina, Newsom, Yaki

Absent: 3 - Kaufman, Teng, Yee

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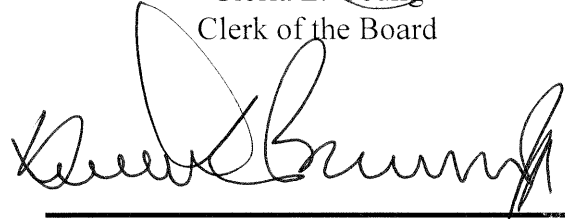
I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on December 21, 1998 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved



Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

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