

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Retroactive - California Department of Insurance - Automobile
Insurance Fraud Program - \$312,297]

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3 **Resolution retroactively authorizing the Office of the District Attorney to accept and**
4 **expend a grant in the amount of \$312,297 from the California Department of**
5 **Insurance for the Automobile Insurance Fraud Program, for the grant period of July**
6 **1, 2023, through June 30, 2024.**

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8 WHEREAS, The Administrative Code requires City departments to obtain Board of
9 Supervisors' approval to accept or expend any grant funds (Sections 10.170 et seq.); and

10 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors provided in Section 11.1 of the administrative
11 provisions of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-2024 Annual Appropriation Ordinance that approval
12 of recurring grant funds contained in departmental budget submissions and approved in the
13 FY2023-2024 budget are deemed to meet the requirements of the Administrative Code
14 regarding grant approvals; and

15 WHEREAS, The Department of Insurance of the State of California, the entity
16 awarding these grant funds to the Office of the District Attorney, requires documentation of
17 the Board of Supervisors' approval of their award of grant funds under Automobile-
18 California Insurance Code, Section 1872.8, and California Code of Regulations, Title 10,
19 Sections 2698.60 et seq.; and

20 WHEREAS, The Office of the District Attorney applied for funding from the California
21 Department of Insurance for the "Automobile Insurance Fraud Program" and was awarded
22 \$312,297 for FY2023-2024; and

23 WHEREAS, The purpose of the grant is to support enhanced investigation and
24 prosecution of automobile insurance fraud cases, and to support the application and
25 subsequent reporting that the Office of the District Attorney must submit to the state as a

1 condition of receiving these funds, as set forth in the California Insurance Code, Section
2 1872.8, and California Code of Regulations, Title 10, Section 2698.60s et seq.; and

3 WHEREAS, The grant does not require an amendment to the Annual Salary
4 Ordinance (ASO) Amendment; and

5 WHEREAS, The grant includes indirect costs of \$4,391; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That should the Office of the District Attorney receive more or less
7 money than the awarded amount of \$312,297 that the Board of Supervisors hereby
8 approves the acceptance and expenditure by the Office of the District Attorney of the
9 additional or reduced money; and, be it

10 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby retroactively
11 authorizes the Office of the District Attorney to accept and expend, on behalf of the City
12 and County of San Francisco, a grant from the California Department of Insurance for the
13 Automobile Insurance Fraud Program to be funded in part from funds made available
14 through California Insurance Code, Section 1872.8, California Code of Regulations, Title
15 10, Sections 2698.60 et seq. in the amount of \$312,297 to enhance investigation and
16 prosecution of automobile insurance fraud cases; and, be it

17 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors retroactively authorizes the
18 District Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco, on its behalf, to submit the
19 attached proposal to the California Department of Insurance and execute the attached
20 Grant Award Agreement, including any extensions or amendments thereof; and, be it

21 FURTHER RESOLVED, That any liability arising out of the performance of the Grant
22 Award Agreement, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of
23 the grant recipient and the authorizing agency, and that the State of California and the
24 California Department of Insurance disclaim responsibility for any such liability; and, be it

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1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the grant funds received hereunder shall not be used
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Approved: /s/_____

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Mayor

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Approved: /s/_____

6 District Attorney

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