Motion directing the Budget Analyst of the Board of Supervisors to prioritize, within its scheduled FY 2004-2005 management audit of the Public Utilities Commission, an analysis of the Wastewater Service Rates recently approved by the Commission, and scheduled to take effect July 1, 2004.

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission has approved a one-year sewer rate adjustment, effective July 1, 2004, to achieve an overall 11% increase in sewer system revenue; and,

WHEREAS, This rate increase is the result of approvals of the Rate Fairness Board, created by November 2002's Proposition E, as well as the full Public Utilities Commission; and,

WHEREAS, The Public Utilities Commission will be considering another increase in sewer system revenue next year to be effective July 1, 2005, as well as another increase the following year to be effective July 1, 2006; and,

WHEREAS, This proposed sewer rate increase will have a substantial impact on homeowners, tenants, and small businesses throughout the City and County of San Francisco; and,

WHEREAS, The ratepayers of the City and County must be assured that their increased payments are being used effectively and efficiently in a manner that only a management audit of the PUC can provide; and,

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors unanimously approved Motion 04-57 (attached) on May 18, 2004, which set forward the proposed schedule of audits to be conducted by the Budget Analyst; and,

WHEREAS, Motion 04-57 set the management audit of the Public Utilities Commission as a priority for Fiscal Year 2004-2005; and,

WHEREAS, The FY 2004-2005 proposed budget for the Public Utilities Commission includes \$500,000 for this proposed management audit; now, therefore, be it

MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors directs the Budget Analyst of the Board of Supervisors to prioritize, within its scheduled FY 2004-2005 management audit of the Public Utilities Commission, an analysis of the Wastewater Service Rates recently approved by the Commission, and scheduled to take effect July 1, 2004.



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June 29, 2004 Board of Supervisors — APPROVED

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

Peskin, Sandoval Absent: 1 - Ammiano

File No. 040911

I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion was APPROVED on June 29, 2004 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Yourg