1   [Rejecting the Mayor's offer of a conditional waiver]

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3   **Resolution rejecting the Mayor's offer of a conditional waiver to San Francisco Cycling,**

4   **LLC for the cost of police services.**

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6   WHEREAS, The current budget shortfall is now reaching into its fourth year, affecting

7   services for San Francisco residents across all departments, but disproportionally affecting

8   low income families, seniors and people with disabilities; and,

9   WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco must try every means of ensuring

10   General Fund revenue for its service mandates; and,

11   WHEREAS, According to admin code 10.B.2(g), the Mayor, or Mayor's designee, must

12   transmit notice of a conditional issuance of waiver to the Clerk of the Board within seventy-two

13   (72) hours of issuance; and,

14   WHEREAS, The Mayor's Office gave noticed to the Clerk of the Board on March 9,

15   2005 of its intentions of offering a conditional waiver for San Francisco Cycling, LLC for the

16   cost of police services to the 2004 (held September 12), 2005, 2006, and 2007 T-Mobile

17   International Bike Races; and,

18   WHEREAS, According to the conditional waiver the City would waive one dollar of

19   Police Department costs for every two dollars of tax revenue generated by the event, and,

20   WHEREAS, The Mayor's Office cites a Economic Research Associates study

21   estimating the tax revenue from direct spending at the event would be $491,744, and

22   WHEREAS, The outstanding, unpaid costs for Police Services of the 2004 race is

23   $335,796, and

24   WHEREAS, Applying the formula of the conditional waver would reduce the $335.796

25   return for services down to $89,924 ($335,796 – ($491,744 divided by 2)), and

1   WHEREAS, This would significantly reduce the amount of money the City could

2   receive for these services in each year of the event as it is scheduled through 2007, now,

3   therefore, be it

4   RESOLVED, That pursuant to admin code 10.B.2(g) the Board hereby rejects the

5   Mayor's offer of a conditional waiver to San Francisco Cycling, LLC.

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