

1 [Use of the City Flag in "The Flags of California" Publication]

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3 **Resolution granting permission to Historian Stan Mottaz to use the Flag of the City and**  
4 **County of San Francisco in his forthcoming book, entitled "The Flags of California."**

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6 WHEREAS, Mr. Stan Mottaz, a historian, requests permission to use an image of the  
7 Flag of the City and County of San Francisco in his book, entitled "The Flags of California,"  
8 which will contain illustrations and historical information regarding the various flags of the  
9 State of California, including historical, state, tribal, military, county, and city flags; and,

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Mottaz has indicated that such book will likely be published and sold  
11 by a commercial publisher; and,

12 WHEREAS, Section 1.6 of the San Francisco Administrative Code requires Board of  
13 Supervisors' approval for commercial use of the City Seal; and

14 WHEREAS, The City Flag contains the essential elements of the City Seal, including  
15 an image of a phoenix issuing from flames, below which appears a motto consisting of the  
16 words "Oro en Paz - Fierro en Guerra" (gold in peace; iron in warfare); and

17 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors hereby finds that inclusion of the City Flag in  
18 such an educational and historical publication regarding the Flags of California is in the public  
19 interest; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, The Board of Supervisors hereby grants Mr. Stan Mottaz permission to  
21 reproduce an image of the Flag of the City and County of San Francisco in his forthcoming  
22 book, entitled "The Flags of California."

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