

1 [Resolution urging the Legislature and the Senate of the State of California to work with the
2 California Child Food Program Roundtable to ensure young children in the state of California
3 have continued access to Child and Adult Care Food Program.]

4 **Resolution urging members of the Legislature and the Senate of the State of California**
5 **work with the California Child Food Program Roundtable to identify and implement**
6 **legislative strategies to ensure young children in the State of California have continued**
7 **access to the Child and Adult Care Food Program.**

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9 WHEREAS, Sound nutrition is a cornerstone to the healthy development of young
10 children; and

11 WHEREAS, Fourteen percent of children in the State of California ages 0-5 years are
12 overweight; and,

13 WHEREAS, Young children who are overweight are at risk for chronic diseases such
14 as asthma, diabetes, and joint problems; and,

15 WHEREAS, Availability of healthy foods and nutrition education in child care is one
16 strategy to combat childhood obesity and food insecurity; and,

17 WHEREAS, The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Child and Adult
18 Care Food Program provides reimbursement to child care providers to offer healthy meals to
19 young children; and,

20 WHEREAS, Over half of the organizations that sponsor the Child and Adult Care Food
21 Program in the State of California and offer the nutrition education to child care providers
22 have discontinued participation due to overwhelming administrative burden and low
23 administrative reimbursement from the USDA and State of California leaving entire parts of
24 the State without access to this important source of meals; and,
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1 WHEREAS, the City of San Francisco is committed to ensuring our youngest most
2 vulnerable citizens have access to healthy food and is at risk of losing our CACFP sponsors;
3 now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors does hereby urge the
5 Legislature and the Senate of the State of California to work with the California Child Food
6 Program Roundtable to identify and implement legislative strategies to ensure young children
7 in the State of California have continued access to this very important program.

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Resolution urging members of the Legislature and the Senate of the State of California to work with the California Child Food Program Roundtable to identify and implement legislative strategies to ensure young children in the State of California have continued access to the Child and Adult Care Food Program.

December 5, 2006 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Elsbernd, Jew, Maxwell, Mirkarimi,
Peskin, Sandoval

Absent: 1 - McGoldrick

Excused: 1 - Dufty

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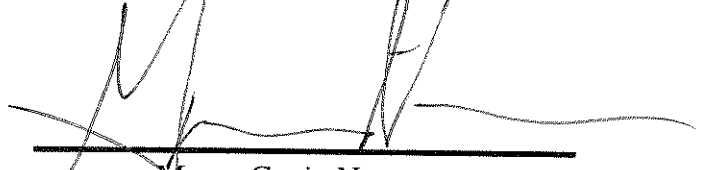
I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on December 5, 2006 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

12-12-06

Date Approved



Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board



Mayor Gavin Newsom