

**Amendment of the Whole
10/19/98**

1 [Commendation]

2 COMMENDING THE CHINESE/VIETNAMESE WORKSHOPS OF THE EXPRESS TO SUCCESS
3 PROGRAM FOR SUCCESSFUL TRAINING AND PLACEMENT OF VIETNAMESE AND
4 CHINESE INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE TRANSITIONING FROM WELFARE TO WORK AND
5 RECOGNIZING THE STAFF FOR THEIR COMMITMENT TO THE SUCCESS OF THE
6 PROGRAM.

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8 WHEREAS, The Express to Success Program is designed to
9 provide job training to welfare recipients and help place these
10 individuals in private and public sector jobs; and,

11 WHEREAS, Whereas the Chinese/Vietnamese workshops of the Express
12 to Success Program provide job training classes to monolingual
13 Chinese and Vietnamese individuals, and work with the business
14 community to find jobs for these individuals; and,

15 WHEREAS, The Chinese/Vietnamese workshops have been successful
16 in placing 80 percent of graduates in employment; and,

17 WHEREAS, Given that the State of California has set a 35 percent
18 placement goal for counties around the State, the Chinese/Vietnamese
19 workshops placement level has far exceeded the State's expectations;
20 and,

21 WHEREAS, It is critical in the age of welfare reform that
22 individuals are provided with the skills necessary to secure a level
23 of employment that affords them and their families a decent quality
24 of life; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County
2 of San Francisco commends the Chinese/Vietnamese workshops of the
3 Express for Success Program for the successful training and placement
4 of Chinese and Vietnamese individuals who are transitioning from
5 welfare to work; and be it

6 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors recognizes the
7 staff of the program, Steve Lloyd, Leonard Gee, Tien Pham, and Ed
8 Lew, for their commitment to the success of the program.
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Resolution

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Date Passed:

Resolution commending the Chinese/Vietnamese workshops of the Express to Success Program for successful training and placement of Vietnamese and Chinese individuals who are transitioning from welfare to work and recognizing the staff for their commitment to the success of the program.

October 19, 1998 Board of Supervisors — SEVERED FROM FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT
COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA

October 19, 1998 Board of Supervisors — AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE
BEARING SAME TITLE

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Medina, Teng,
Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Newsom


October 19, 1998 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED AS AMENDED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Medina, Teng,
Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Newsom


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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED AS AMENDED on October 19, 1998 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

OCT 30 1998
Date Approved



Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.