

1 [Administrative Code - Neighborhood Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund]

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3 **Ordinance approving amendments to the Rules and Regulations for the Neighborhood**
4 **Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund.**

5 NOTE: **Unchanged Code text and uncodified text** are in plain Arial font.
6 **Additions to Codes** are in *single-underline italics Times New Roman font*.
7 **Deletions to Codes** are in ~~strikethrough italics Times New Roman font~~.
8 **Board amendment additions** are in double-underlined Arial font.
9 **Board amendment deletions** are in ~~strikethrough Arial font~~.
10 **Asterisks** (*) indicate the omission of unchanged Code
11 subsections or parts of tables.

12 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

13 Section 1. Background and Purpose.

14 (a) The Neighborhood Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund was approved by the
15 voters of San Francisco by initiative ordinance (Proposition D) at the June 5, 1990 election.
16 That ballot measure is now codified in Administrative Code Section 10.100-114. The
17 Neighborhood Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund is commonly referred to as the
18 Community Challenge Grants Program. Proposition D directed the Chief Administrative
19 Officer (an office abolished in the 1996 Charter, with many of its functions assumed by the
20 office of City Administrator) to promulgate such rules and regulations as that official may
21 deem appropriate, with a requirement to publish notice of such rules and regulations in an
22 official newspaper of general circulation in the City, with a 30-day public comment period, prior
23 to issuing them, and that the rules and regulations be approved by the Board of Supervisors
24 by resolution. In 1990, the proposed rules and regulations were published in such a
25 newspaper, with public comment invited, and were subsequently submitted to the Board of
Supervisors, which approved them by Resolution No. 944-90.

(b) Earlier this year, proposed amendments to the rules and regulations were published in such a newspaper, with public comment invited, and were subsequently submitted to the Board of Supervisors, which approved the amendments by Ordinance No. 102-25. The City Administrator now seeks Board of Supervisors approval under Administrative Code Section 10.100-114 of an additional amendment to the rules and regulations for the Neighborhood Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund.

Section 2. Approval of Amendment to Rules and Regulations for the Neighborhood Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund.

(a) Pursuant to Administrative Code Section 10.100-114, prior to amending the rules and regulations, the City Administrator published a notice of intent to amend the rules and regulations for the Neighborhood Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund in an official newspaper of general circulation in the City, public comment was invited, and the required 30-day public comment period has ended.

(b) The proposed amended rules and regulations provide that an organization seeking a grant from the Community Challenge Grant Program can demonstrate organizational stability either by providing evidence of two years of operations prior to applying for the grant or by providing equivalent evidence of organizational capacity and readiness to manage grant funds and complete the proposed project as defined by the Community Challenge Grant Program administrative staff.

(c) A copy of the proposed amended rules and regulations for the Neighborhood Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund is in Board File No. 250866, and is incorporated herein by reference.

(d) The Board of Supervisors hereby approves the proposed amended rules and regulations for the Neighborhood Beautification and Graffiti Clean-up Fund.

