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MOTION

M98-113

[Ballot Argument] AUTHORIZING PROPONENT'S BALLOT ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF PROPOSITION F, AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE CONTINUED IMPOSITION OF THE STADIUM OPERATOR ADMISSION TAX AND THE TEMPORARY ADMISSION TAX ON STADIUM ADMISSIONS.

IT IS HEREBY MOVED, That pursuant to Section 540 of the Municipal Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors does hereby authorize a ballot argument in favor of Proposition F, an ordinance approving the continued imposition of the Stadium Operator Admission Tax and the Temporary Admission Tax on stadium admissions, authorizing the establishment of a supplemental stadium admission tax upon expiration of the temporary admission tax; and, be it

FURTHER MOVED, That the full text of said argument hereby authorized be as shown in the copy attached to this motion and is hereby declared to be a part hereof; and, be it

FURTHER MOVED, That the Director of Elections be and is hereby authorized and directed to include said argument in the pamphlet accompanying the sample ballots to be mailed to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco for the election to be held on Tuesday, November 3, 1998.

Supervisor Leno

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Adopted - Board of Supervisors, San Francisco August 17, 1998

Ayes: Supervisors Ammiano Bierman Brown Katz Kaufman Leno Medina Newsom Yaki Yee

Absent: Supervisor Teng

I hereby certify that the foregoing motion was adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco

File No. 98-1311

The Undersigned authors of this Ballot Argument: X FOR or AGAINST PROPOSITION F at the election to be held in San Francisco on November 3, 1998 hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of (his/her/their) knowledge and belief.

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<b>B</b> , <i>I</i> , or <i>BI</i>	Continuing the admissions ticket tax benefits our children and our parks. The	12
	proceeds of this tax are deposited into the City's general fund, where they have	14
	been used to fund after school sports programs and recreational programs for	12
	our youth in City parks. The ticket tax gives the City over \$3 million annually.	15
	This money has been used to provide healthy, fun activities for our children in	14
	our 200 parks, playgrounds, and open spaces. These activities include	10
	swimming, golf, soccer, tennis, baseball, and other recreational programs that	10
	keep our children off the streets.	6
	After school sports and recreational programs afford our youth the opportunity	11
	to be in mentored environments while parents are working. The City also	12
	provides programs for youth with special needs and has set up late night	13
	recreational activities. Statistics show that juvenile crime is drastically reduced	10
	when young people are provided activities to keep them busy and contented. For	13
	as little as twenty-five cents a ticket we can greatly enhance the lives of the	15
	young people of this great City.	6
	Winning teams means winning teens. Because of the success of the San	12
	Francisco 49ers in the playoffs, revenues from the ticket tax exceeded	11
	projections in 1997. With the extra money San Francisco helped fund new badly	13
	needed repairs to soccer fields and helped rebuild a swimming pool for the kids	14
	in the Bayview Hunters Point neighborhood.	6

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