

1 [2012 Olympic Bid.]

2 **Resolution amending Resolution No. 910-01, commending the efforts of the San**
3 **Francisco Bay Area Sports Organizing Committee (BASOC) in achieving the status of**
4 **finalist in the USOC's competition to select a U.S. Candidate City for the 2012 Olympic**
5 **Games; removing the qualification that the City's obligations under the Joinder**
6 **Agreement are contingent upon BASOC not being in default of any of its obligations**
7 **under the BASOC Agreement; approving and authorizing the Mayor to execute such**
8 **agreements, including a Host City Agreement, as are consistent with the terms and**
9 **conditions included in the Host City Agreement issued by the IOC for the 2008 Olympic**
10 **Games, should the International Olympic Committee (IOC) choose San Francisco in**
11 **2005 as the Host City for the 2012 Summer Olympic Games; and approving the First**
12 **Amendment to the BASOC Agreement giving the City the right to require BASOC to**
13 **fund any bid deposit.**

14 WHEREAS, San Francisco was one of eight bid cities throughout the country
15 competing to be selected by the United States Olympic Committee (USOC) as the United
16 States Candidate City for the 2012 summer Olympic Games; and,

17 WHEREAS, On August 27, 2002, the USOC selected San Francisco and New York
18 City as the two finalists who will compete for selection as the official Candidate City; and,

19 WHEREAS, The Candidate City will represent the United States in the international
20 competition against such cities as Rome, Berlin, Paris, London, Toronto and Moscow to host
21 the 2012 Olympic Games; and,

22 WHEREAS, On November 2, 2002 the USOC will announce its choice between San
23 Francisco and New York City as the Candidate City; and,

24 WHEREAS, In advance of its decision, the USOC has requested that San Francisco
25 remove the qualification included in Resolution No. 910-01 that the City's obligations under

1 the Joinder Agreement are contingent upon BASOC not being in default of any of its
2 obligations under the BASOC Agreement; and,

3 WHEREAS, The USOC has also requested that San Francisco and New York City
4 each clarify its commitment to execute a Host City Agreement with the International Olympic
5 Committee (IOC) in 2005, if it is selected by the IOC as the city that will host the 2012 Olympic
6 Games; and,

7 WHEREAS, The Mayor wishes to amend the agreement between BASOC and the City
8 to provide for BASOC's funding of any bid deposit or guarantee that the City may be required
9 to furnish under the Host City Agreement; and,

10 WHEREAS, This Board wishes to officially recognize the extraordinary
11 accomplishments of BASOC in qualifying for the final round in the competition for designation
12 as the U.S. Candidate City; now, therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors commends BASOC and all
14 those volunteers, Bay Area businesses and sister cities which have supported the San
15 Francisco bid effort to bring the 2012 Olympic Games to the San Francisco Bay Area and
16 encourages the United States Olympic Committee to select San Francisco as the official U.S.
17 Candidate City for the 2012 Olympic Games; and, be it

18 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board approves and authorizes the Mayor to execute
19 such agreements, including a Host City Agreement, as are consistent with the terms and
20 conditions included in the Host City Agreement issued by the IOC for the 2008 Olympic
21 Games, subject to the conditions set forth in Resolution No. 910-01, as hereby amended; and,
22 be it

23 FURTHER RESOLVED, That if the USOC selects San Francisco as the Candidate
24 City, and thereafter BASOC is in default under the BASOC Agreement, the City will continue
25 to honor its obligations under the Joinder Undertaking and the Joinder Agreement and will not

1 withdraw its candidacy to compete internationally to host the 2012 Olympic Games, but will
2 instead work with BASOC to cure any such default, and if the default is not cured, may then
3 exercise those remedies provided to the City in the BASOC Agreement, including the right to
4 seek specific performance of BASOC's obligations and, in the event of BASOC's withdrawal,
5 to form a non-profit organization to act on behalf of the City; and, be it

6 FURTHER RESOLVED, That Resolution 910-01 is hereby superseded only to the
7 extent it is inconsistent with this Resolution; and, be it

8 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board hereby approves the First Amendment to the
9 Agreement Between The City And County Of San Francisco And The San Francisco Bay
10 Area Sports Organizing Committee, dated November 26, 2001, which amendment provides
11 that the City may, in its sole discretion, require BASOC to provide to the City all, or a portion
12 of, the funding needed to cover any bid or guarantee deposit that the City is obligated to
13 furnish to the USOC or the IOC, at least 5 days in advance of the date upon which such
14 deposit obligation arises, and authorizes the Mayor to sign such Amendment.

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