

1 [Approval of the Ryan White HIV Emergency Relief Grant Program Application]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Department of Public Health to submit an**
4 **application to continue to receive funding for the “HIV/AIDS Emergency Relief Grant**
5 **Program (Ryan White Programs, Part A)” Grant from the Health Resources Services**
6 **Administration, requesting \$36,118,233 in HIV emergency relief program funding for the**
7 **San Francisco Eligible Metropolitan Area from March 1, 2012, through February 28,**
8 **2013.**

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10 WHEREAS, Section 10.170.(b) of the San Francisco Administrative Code requires
11 Board review of proposed annual or otherwise recurring grant applications of \$5,000,000 or
12 more prior to their submission; and,

13 WHEREAS, DPH is currently a recipient of the “HIV Emergency Relief Grant Program”
14 grant in the amount of approximately \$36,118,233 from the HRSA for fiscal year 2011; and,

15 WHEREAS, For this round of funding, DPH was instructed by HRSA to submit an
16 application request in the amount of \$36,118,233; and,

17 WHEREAS, DPH uses these funds to cover a multitude of health services to HIV
18 positive persons residing in the three counties within the San Francisco Eligible Metropolitan
19 Areas (EMA); and,

20 WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 265-05 requires that City Departments submit applications
21 for approval at least 60 days prior to the grant deadline for review and approval; and,

22 WHEREAS, HRSA released the application announcement on August 22, 2011 with a
23 due date of November 1, 2011 allowing just 54 days for the entire process; and,

24 WHEREAS, in the interest of timeliness, DPH is making this request for approval by
25 submitting its most recent draft of the grant application, also including supporting documents

1 as required, all of which are on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No.
2 111117, which is hereby declared to be part of the Resolution as if set forth fully herein; and,
3 now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby approves DPH's application
5 submission to HRSA for the "HIV Emergency Relief Grant Program (Ryan White Programs,
6 Part A)" grant for the funding period of March 1, 2012 through February 28, 2013, to be
7 submitted no later than November 1, 2011.

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9 RECOMMENDED:

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11 Barbara A. Garcia, MPA

12 Director of Health

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