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Civic Bridge Winter 2024 Project Potential Partner Companies List FYI Referral 121823		
Prepared by: Monique Crayton Date: January 11, 2024 Prepared by: Date: Date:		

1	[Civic Bridge Program - Behested Payments Waiver]
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3	Resolution authorizing the Office of the Mayor to solicit in-kind donations through the
4	Civic Bridge Program from various City contractors, notwithstanding the Behested
5	Payments Ordinance for six months from the enactment date of this Resolution.
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7	WHEREAS, The Mayor's Office of Innovation oversees the City & County of San
8	Francisco's Civic Bridge Program, which recruits for-profit companies and non-profit
9	organizations in the San Francisco Bay Area to work pro-bono on key challenges for City
10	departments in areas where the Department needs specific technical capacity; and
11	WHEREAS, Civic Bridge's purpose is to improve the delivery of City services for
12	residents, and since its founding in 2015 has facilitated over 80 projects to 34 unique city
13	departments, with a total value of approximately \$8,500,000; and
14	WHEREAS, Office of Innovation staff maintains a network of 28 partner companies, or
15	"pro-bono partners," that participate in the Civic Bridge program; and
16	WHEREAS, New companies are invited to join that network through the Office of
17	Innovation website, Office of Innovation newsletter, or routine communication with Office of
18	Innovation staff; and
19	WHEREAS, Office of Innovation staff tracks the technical capabilities of pro-bono
20	partner organizations and their employees, and has historically recruited particular partners
21	for specific projects based on project goals and staff requirements; and
22	WHEREAS, Each engagement between the pro-bono partner and the corresponding
23	department lasts 16 weeks, with an expectation of 20% of time dedicated to volunteering on
24	the project; and

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1	WHEREAS, These engagements constitute an in-kind donation from the pro-bono
2	partner to the department receiving services; and
3	WHEREAS, The Office of Innovation typically communicates directly with several
4	companies regarding potential partnership opportunities, including Accenture, Adobe,
5	AECOM, Anthropic, AT&T, Bayes Impact, Bloomberg Philanthropies, Blue Shield, California
6	College of the Arts, California State University-San Francisco, Cloudera, Deloitte, Digitalist,
7	Front, fuseproject, Gensler, Google LLC and its Affiliates, Harvard Business School
8	Community Partners, HOK Architects, Linkedin, Mapbox, McKinsey, Microsoft, New York
9	University, Noodle.ai, OpenAI, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Salesforce, Stanford University,
10	Slack, Slalom, Splunk, Visa Inc., University of California-Berkeley, University of California-
11	San Francisco, University of San Francisco, US Digital Response, Zendesk, and ZS
12	Associates;
13	WHEREAS, The 2024 Civic Bridge cohort constitutes approximately six projects across
14	approximately seven departments, a complete list of which is on file with the Clerk of the
15	Board of Supervisors as part of File No. 231275; and
16	WHEREAS, The Mayor's Office seeks a waiver of the City's Behested Payments law,
17	to the extent it restricts the solicitation of pro-bono services as set forth herein, under
18	Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code, Section 3.620(f), on the basis that solicitation
19	from the pro-bono partners under the Civic Bridge Program is appropriate and furthers the
20	public interest of improving service delivery for City residents; now, therefore, be it
21	RESOLVED That the Board of Supervisors hereby waives the Behested Payments
22	Ordinance for the purpose of allowing the Mayor, and members of the Office of the Mayor, to
23	solicit in-kind services for the Civic Bridge Program as set forth herein, for six months from the
24	enactment date of this Resolution; and, be it

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1	FURTHER RESOLVED That granting this waiver serves the public interest by
2	improving service delivery for residents; and, be it
3	FURTHER RESOLVED That granting this waiver does not create an appearance of
4	impropriety.
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#### **CIVIC BRIDGE WINTER 2024: PROJECT PROPOSALS**

- Project 1: Permitting Center | Designing a blueprint for the City's housing permitting system
- Project 2: Department of Emergency Management | Redesigning the Healthy Streets Operation Center's Client Log Form
- Project 3: Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing | Utilizing user research to improve data quality in the ONE Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)
- Project 4: SF Fire Department | Redesigning SFFD's logic model and identifying overall process improvements related to its emergency medical service programs
- Project 5: Department of Public Health | Developing a journey map to reduce barriers and provide rapid access to substance use disorder (SUD) services
- Project 6: Department of Building Inspection | Redesigning the City's solar permits process to more effectively and efficiently issue permits

### Potential Partner Companies for the 2024 cohort of Civic Bridge

**AECOM** Anthropic AT&T **Bayes Impact** Bloomberg Philanthropies Blue Shield California College of the Arts California State University-San Francisco Cloudera Deloitte Digitalist Front fuseproject Gensler Google LLC and its Affiliates Harvard Business School Community Partners **HOK Architects** Linkedin Mapbox McKinsey Microsoft New York University Noodle.ai OpenAI PricewaterhouseCoopers Salesforce Stanford University Slack Slalom Splunk Visa Inc. University of California-Berkeley University of California—San Francisco University of San Francisco **US Digital Response** Zendesk **ZS** Associates

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Thomas Paulino, Liaison to the Board of Supervisors, Office of the Mayor

FROM: Stephanie Cabrera, Assistant Clerk

DATE: December 18, 2023

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

The Board of Supervisors' Government Audit and Oversight Committee has received the following proposed legislation, introduced by Mayor Breed on December 12, 2023:

File No. 231275

Resolution authorizing the Office of the Mayor to solicit in-kind donations through the Civic Bridge Program from various City contractors, notwithstanding the Behested Payments Ordinance for six months from the enactment date of this Resolution.

If you have any additional comments or reports to be included with the file, please forward them to the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102 or by email at: Alisa.Somera@sfgov.org.