

1 [Grant of Federal Funds.]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Municipal Transportation Agency to accept and expend**
4 **\$1,987,000 of Federal Transit Administration Section 70 funds for the Municipal**
5 **Railway’s NextBus Real Time Vehicle Information project, excluding administrative**
6 **overhead costs.**

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8 WHEREAS, The U.S. Secretary of Transportation is authorized to make monies
9 available pursuant to the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA 21) for mass
10 transportation projects; and

11 WHEREAS, The Municipal Transportation Agency (MTA), City and County of San
12 Francisco, is an eligible claimant for Federal Transit Administration (FTA) capital assistance
13 projects under Section 70 of TEA 21; and

14 WHEREAS, No local share of project costs is required under this grant; and

15 WHEREAS, It is required that in connection with the filing of an application for federal
16 assistance, the applicant give an assurance that it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights
17 Act of 1964 and DOT requirements thereunder; and

18 WHEREAS, It is the goal of the applicant that Disadvantaged Business Enterprises
19 (DBEs) be utilized to the fullest extent possible in connection with this project, and that
20 definitive procedures shall be established and administered, consistent with federal law, to
21 ensure that DBEs shall have maximum opportunity to compete for contracts, supplies,
22 equipment contracts, or consultant and other services; and

23 WHEREAS, Congress has dedicated funding in TEA 21 for a national program of
24 projects using Section 70 capital assistance; and

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1 WHEREAS, The Municipal Railway's (Muni's) NextBus Real Time Vehicle Location
2 Information project, included in the national program, is a high priority San Francisco project;
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4 WHEREAS, The Director of Transportation of the MTA (or his designee) must execute
5 agreements to complete transfer of the funds; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the MTA is authorized to accept and expend \$1,987,000 in FTA TEA
7 21 Section 70 capital assistance for Muni's NextBus Real Time Vehicle Location Information
8 project; and, be it

9 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the MTA is authorized to furnish whatever additional
10 information may be requested by the funding agencies in connection with this request; and, be
11 it

12 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the MTA is authorized to execute any and all agreements
13 necessary to complete transfer of the funds; and, be it

14 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the MTA is authorized to set forth and execute DBE
15 policies in connection with the project's procurement needs.

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17 **RECOMMENDED:**

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Mayor

EDWARD HARRINGTON
Controller

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