

1 [Grant to enhance voter education and poll worker training.]

2 **Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Department of Elections to accept and**
3 **expend a grant in an amount not to exceed \$300,000.00 from the California Secretary of**
4 **State to improve San Francisco's voter education and pollworker training programs.**
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6 WHEREAS, the federal government has provided money to each state under the Help
7 America Vote Act ("HAVA") to modernize voting equipment and to improve other aspects of
8 the elections process;

9 WHEREAS, the California Secretary of State received this HAVA money and is in the
10 process of allocating a portion of this money to each county to enhance voter education and
11 poll worker training;

12 WHEREAS, the Department of Elections applied for and has been awarded a grant not
13 to exceed \$300,000.00 to educate voters and poll workers on how to use San Francisco's
14 voting system and on new legal requirements relating to absentee voting and provisional
15 voting; now, therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, That the Department of Elections is hereby authorized retroactively to
17 accept and expend a grant not to exceed \$300,000.00 from the California Secretary of State
18 to educate voters and poll workers on how to use San Francisco's voting system and on new
19 legal requirements relating to absentee voting and provisional voting; now, therefore, be it

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1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Director of Elections is authorized to enter into an
2 agreement with the California Secretary of State on behalf of San Francisco for these
3 purposes.
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5 RECOMMENDED:

APPROVED:

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John Arntz
8 Director of Elections

President,
San Francisco Elections Commission

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