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RESOLUTION NO. 223-05

[Accept-Expend State Grant]

Resolution authorizing the Department of the Environment to accept and expend a grant in the amount of \$112,000 from the California Department of Conservation for the implementation of an Away From Home Recycling Project in the City and County of San Francisco.

WHEREAS, Based upon the evaluation of responses to a request for proposals in the area of increasing Away From Home recycling, the California Department of Conservation has selected the Department of the Environment's Recycling Program to be the recipient of \$112,000 in funding to provide recycling bins in Golden Gate Park and the War Memorial and Performing Arts Center; and,

WHEREAS, The Commission on the Environment and the Board of Supervisors of the City & County of San Francisco adopted citywide goals of 75% diversion by 2010 and zero waste by 2020; and,

WHEREAS, The City's Resource Conservation Ordinance states that City Departments should divert as much solid waste as possible from landfill and maximize purchases of recycled products; and,

WHEREAS, There are no public recycling receptacles at Golden Gate Park which hosts more than 16 million visitors per year or the War Memorial and Performing Arts Center which attracts more than 1.3 million concert-goers each year; and,

WHEREAS, Approximately 150,000 pounds of empty beverage containers are not recycled from Golden Gate Park and the War Memorial and Performing Arts Center each year; and,

WHEREAS, Recycling receptacles with signage at the Golden Gate Park and the War Memorial and Performing Arts Center has the potential to educate millions of visitors to these

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high profile and highly trafficked sites and help the City to achieve its waste diversion goals; and,

WHEREAS, Indirect costs are not allowed by the funding agency; now, therefore, be it; RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors authorizes the Director of the Department of the Environment to accept and expend funding of \$112,000 for the implementation of the Away From Home Recycling Project for the City and County of San Francisco.

**Recommended:** 

Department Head

Approved: Mayor Approved: Controller

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March 22, 2005 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on March 22, 2005 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Horia L. Young

Clerk of the Board

Mayor Gavin Newsom

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**Date Approved**