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Supervisor Sophie Maxwell **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** 

[Extending Abandoned Auto Vehicle Registration Fee.]

Resolution authorizing the extension of the one dollar (\$1) vehicle registration fee on all vehicles registered in San Francisco to be used only for the abatement, removal and disposal of abandoned vehicles pursuant to Senate Bill 1333.

WHEREAS. Abandoned vehicles occupy much needed parking spaces, cause neighborhood blight, interfere with the normal flow of traffic, street cleaning and public safety; and

WHEREAS, Last year over 2,200 vehicles were removed from streets and highways at the expense of the City and County of San Francisco; and

WHEREAS. In 1990, Section 22710 was added to the California Vehicle Code to allow for the creation of county-based vehicle service authorities to facilitate the abatement of abandoned vehicles on public and private lands; and

WHEREAS, In 1992, the Board of Supervisors adopted Ordinance No. 228-92 (Vehicle Removal Administrative Fee) and Ordinance No. 229-92 (Abatement of Abandoned Vehicles) on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 124-92-6 and File No. 124-92-7 which is hereby declared to be a part of this resolution as if set forth fully herein; and,

WHEREAS, This approval established rules and regulations relating to the removal and abatement of abandoned vehicles and authorized the creation of a one dollar (\$1) administrative fee to assist counties with the cost of vehicle removal; and

WHEREAS, The one dollar (\$1) service fee generates approximately \$450,000 per year to offset the City's cost in removal of abandoned automobiles; and

WHEREAS, Existing authority to collect the one dollar (\$1) service fee is set to expire on May 31, 2003; and

WHEREAS, California Vehicle Code Section 9250.7 has been amended to allow for a ten year extension of the service authority fee upon approval by two-thirds of the members of the County Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS, It is in the public interest to allow for this program to continue; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco do hereby authorize the extension of the one dollar (\$1) vehicle registration fee on all vehicles registered in San Francisco to be used only for the abatement, removal and disposal of abandoned vehicles pursuant to Senate Bill 1333.



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## Resolution

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August 26, 2002 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, Peskin, Sandoval, Yee

Absent: 3 - Ammiano, McGoldrick, Newsom

File No. 021475

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on August 26, 2002 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. (Young

Clerk of the Board

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**Date Approved** 

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.