

1 [San Francisco Police Department Insignia - Use for Nash Bridges Television Series]

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3 **Resolution approving the use of the San Francisco Police Department insignia on**  
4 **uniforms and vehicles for the television series, Nash Bridges.**

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6 WHEREAS, The production company, Village NB Productions, LLC (the "Producers"),  
7 is filming the television series Nash Bridges (the "Series") in San Francisco; and

8 WHEREAS, The Producers will enter into a Use Agreement for City Property for Film  
9 Production and Related Activities ("Agreement") with the San Francisco Film Commission;

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11 WHEREAS, A draft of the Agreement, in substantially final form, is on file with the Clerk  
12 of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 210468; and

13 WHEREAS, The Producers would like to include uniforms and vehicles with the SFPD  
14 insignia in the Series; and

15 WHEREAS, The Series is an all-union production, in alignment with San Francisco's  
16 labor harmony principals, utilizing members of the Directors Guild of America (DGA), the  
17 Screen Actors Guild (SAG), and the International Alliance of Theatrical State Employees  
18 (IATSE) Local 16; and

19 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors finds that the use of the SFPD insignia in the  
20 Series will enhance San Francisco's image as a premier location for film and television  
21 productions to film and is in the best interests of the City; and

22 WHEREAS, Section 1.101 of the Charter provides that all rights and powers of the City  
23 not vested in another officer or entity shall by exercised by the Board of Supervisors, and the  
24 Charter does not vest in the SFPD the authority to agree to the use of its insignia in  
25 connection with a commercial television production; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Chief of Police to  
2 agree to let the Producers use the SFPD insignia on uniforms and vehicles in the Series; and,  
3 be it

4 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the SFPD insignia shall be used only for the stated  
5 purposes, and shall not be used beyond the designations and purposes approved by this  
6 Resolution.

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