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[Urging City College of San Francisco to Preserve the Quality and Diversity of the School's Education and the City to Consider New Support]

Resolution urging the City College of San Francisco (CCSF) Board of Trustees and administration to utilize Proposition A Funds to preserve the quality and diversity of education that has served San Francisco well; and for the City to consider additional support for CCSF by evaluating the fees currently charged by the City to CCSF, the possibility of providing more in-kind services, and exploring long-term local support structures.

WHEREAS, For the past 78 years, City College of San Francisco (CCSF) has been crucial to the economic and social development of San Francisco and has been widely acknowledged to be one of the best community colleges in the country, providing a rich array of valued programs in nursing, radiology, culinary and hotel management; and

WHEREAS, CCSF provides an indispensable education to approximately 85,000 students per year, most of whom come from the working class, are people of color, and are from immigrant communities and for whom CCSF represents one of the only options for affordable higher education; and

WHEREAS, CCSF has come under scrutiny and sanction by the Accrediting
Commission for Community and Junior Colleges and since then class offerings, student
support services, faculty and staff, and opportunities for student employment have all been
severely cut; and

WHEREAS, CCSF has lost over \$53 million in state cuts since 2007; and
WHEREAS, The passage of Proposition A in November 2012, by an overwhelming
73% of San Francisco voters, will bring in between \$14 million to \$16 million a year to CCSF
over each of the next eight years; and

WHEREAS, Funds raised though Proposition A can alleviate the cuts that severely limited class offerings, student support services, faculty and staff positions, and opportunities for student employment; and

WHEREAS, When a decision must be made between providing services to people and inflating a reserve fund, the scales must tip-toward people in need; and

WHEREAS, A number of student, faculty, and community groups, as well as the San Francisco Youth Commission, have requested that the City and County of San Francisco examine how it could better support CCSF; and

WHEREAS, Quality and affordable public education that provides lifelong learning, workplace and life skills, academic pathways and opportunities, and cultural and personal enrichment is a universally acclaimed human right and essential to San Francisco's economic viability; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the CCSF Board of Trustees and administration to utilize Proposition A funds to preserve the quality and diversity of education that has served San Francisco well; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City shall consider additional support for CCSF by evaluating the fees currently charged by the City to CCSF, the possibility of providing more in-kind services, and exploring long-term local support structures.

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Introduction Form

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):	or meeting date
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An ordinance, resolution, motion, or charter amendment.	
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MEMORANDUM

10:	Youth Commission
FROM:	Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board
DATE:	April 11, 2013
SUBJECT:	REFERRAL FROM BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Commission recommenda	of Supervisors has received the following, which at the request of the Youth is being referred as per Charter Section 4.124 for comment and ation. The Commission may provide any response it deems appropriate ys from the date of this referral.
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	College of San Francisco to Preserve the Quality and Diversity of the ucation and the City to Consider New Support
	n this cover sheet with the Commission's response to Victor Young, jet and Finance Committee.
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