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[GRANT - PRIVATE FUNDS]

AUTHORIZING THE SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC LIBRARY TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND \$500,000 TO BE AWARDED BY THE CARNEGIE CORPORATION OF NEW YORK. FUNDS WILL BE USED TO CREATE THE "HIGH SCHOOL AND BEYOND" PROGRAM FOR TEENS BY PROVIDING SPECIALIZED BOOKS, MATERIALS, WORKSHOPS AND PROGRAMMING DESIGNED TO HELP YOUTHS MAKE CHOICES AND PREPARE FOR HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGE AND OTHER VOCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES.

WHEREAS, The Carnegie Corporation of New York seeks to mark the centennial of Andrew Carnegie's decision to promote the cause of Public Libraries by distributing grants of \$500,000 to selected public libraries for use in their branches, and

WHEREAS, San Francisco Public Library was selected as one of the special candidates invited to apply for this grant for specific public services and collection enhancement, and

WHEREAS, San Francisco Public Library proposes to enhance the collection of college and career choice materials and programs to better serve youth in the 26 branch libraries, and

WHEREAS, By augmenting branch collections and providing a series of workshops the library will support youths both as they enter and as they graduate from high school, and

WHEREAS, The library will include information and programs for the college-bound teen on choosing a secondary school, taking SAT's, applying for scholarships, and college or university selection, and

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WHEREAS, For those choosing careers without going to college, the library will provide materials and workshops on apprenticeships, vocational training, job preparedness, and spotlights on a variety of careers, and

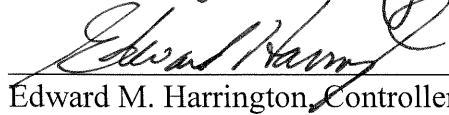
WHEREAS, The library's mission includes free and equal access to information for all library patrons, of all ages, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Public Library, be authorized to accept and expend \$500,000 awarded by the Carnegie Corporation of New York, to provide materials and programming in the branch libraries for teens to assist them in making career and college choices and to provide support for those choices through workshops, special programs and informational materials.

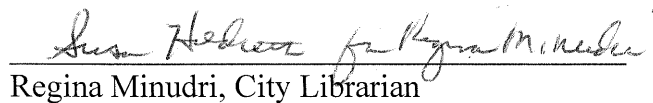
APPROVED:



Willie L. Brown, Mayor



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Regina Minudri, City Librarian



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Resolution

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Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Public Library to accept and expend \$500,000 to be awarded by the Carnegie Corporation of New York. Funds will be used to create the "High School and Beyond" program for teens by providing specialized books, materials, workshops and programming designed to help youths make choices and prepare for high school, college and other vocational opportunities.


July 19, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Teng,
Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Newsom

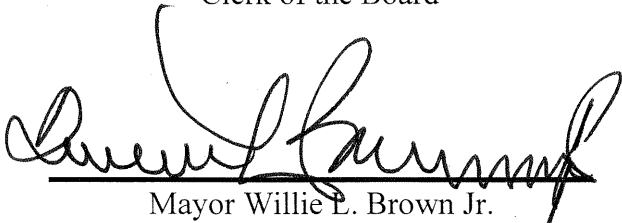
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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on July 19, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.


Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

JUL 30 1999

Date Approved


Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.