

1 [Apply for Grant Application - United States Department of Housing and Urban Development -
2 Continuum of Care Program - Not to Exceed \$51,175,386]

3 **Resolution approving the 2019 grant application for the United States Department of**
4 **Housing and Urban Development Continuum of Care Program with an amount not to**
5 **exceed \$51,175,386; and fulfilling the Board of Supervisors review and approval**
6 **process for all annual or otherwise recurring grants of \$5,000,000 or more.**

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8 WHEREAS, Under the Department of Housing and Urban Development 2019 Continuum of
9 Care grant application, the City and County of San Francisco and participating nonprofit
10 entities are eligible to submit funding applications for funds not to exceed \$51,175,386 to
11 assist homeless people; and

12 WHEREAS, During the San Francisco 2018 Continuum of Care competition, San
13 Francisco and its nonprofits were awarded \$44,537,520 and San Francisco's community
14 efforts to end homelessness scored in the top ten percent nationally; and

15 WHEREAS, The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires
16 submission of the 2019 Continuum of Care application by September 30, 2019; and

17 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Local Homeless Coordinating Board (LHCB) serves as
18 the lead entity that oversees the Continuum of Care process and programs, including the
19 creation of program priorities, funding categories, application guidelines, and scoring tools;
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21 WHEREAS, The LHCB expects to submit the consolidated application for an amount
22 not to exceed \$51,175,386 of which a portion of those funds which passes through the
23 Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing is greater than \$5,000,000; and

24 WHEREAS, The LHCB has been meeting monthly to advise on the City and County of
25 San Francisco's Continuum of Care processes and programs, including receiving community

1 input and participation in the development of program priorities, application scoring criteria,
2 and application guidelines and process; and

3 WHEREAS, The LHCB with community input and advice, approves the 2019
4 application process, scoring criteria, and funding priorities for the 2019 application; and the
5 2019 application process established funding categories that include Permanent Supportive
6 Housing, Rapid Re-Housing, and Supportive Services; and

7 WHEREAS, Under San Francisco Ordinance 256-05, the appropriate City department
8 shall submit a resolution articulating its grant application as well as funding categories to the
9 Board of Supervisors for all annual grant applications of \$5,000,000 or more; now, therefore,
10 be it

11 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Local Homeless Coordinating Board and the
12 Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing are authorized to submit a 2019
13 Continuum of Care application for an amount not to exceed \$51,175,386; and, be it

14 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors will provide a
15 timely review and approval of the 2019 Continuum of Care application with recognition that
16 such application at the time of the Board review and approval will include funding categories
17 and general description of the application.

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1 RECOMMENDED:

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Director, Jeff Kositsky

4 Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing

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