

1 [Board response to the 2007-2008 Civil Grand Jury Report entitled “A Year of Five Elections
2 for the City and County of San Francisco”]

3 **Resolution responding to the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court on the**
4 **recommendations contained in the 2007-2008 Civil Grand Jury Report entitled “A Year**
5 **of Five Elections for the City and County of San Francisco”.**

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7 WHEREAS, Under California Penal Code Section 933 et seq., the Board of
8 Supervisors must respond, within 90 days of receipt, to the Presiding Judge of the Superior
9 Court on the recommendations contained in Civil Grand Jury Reports; and,

10 WHEREAS, In accordance with Penal Code Section 933.05(c), if a finding or
11 recommendation of the Civil Grand Jury addresses budgetary or personnel matters of a
12 county agency or a department headed by an elected officer, the agency or department head
13 and the Board of Supervisors shall respond if requested by the Civil Grand Jury, but the
14 response of the Board of Supervisors shall address only budgetary or personnel matters over
15 which it has some decision making authority; and,

16 WHEREAS, The 2007-2008 Civil Grand Jury Report entitled “A Year of Five Elections
17 for the City and County of San Francisco” is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
18 in File No. 080931, which is hereby declared to be a part of this resolution as if set forth fully
19 herein; and,

20 WHEREAS, Recommendation No. 1 of the subject Civil Grand Jury Report states: “The
21 Office of the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors must provide an adequate budget and direct
22 the Division of Real Estate to find permanent, unified, secure, and safe space for the San
23 Francisco Department of Elections [DOE] where all DOE staff can efficiently perform all their
24 duties”; and

1 WHEREAS, in accordance with Penal Code Section 933.05(c), the Board of
2 Supervisors must respond, within 90 days of receipt, to the Presiding Judge of the Superior
3 Court on Recommendation No. 1 contained in the subject Civil Grand Jury report; now,
4 therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors reports to the Presiding Judge of the
6 Superior Court that it agrees with Recommendation No. _____ of the 2007-2008 Civil Grand
7 Jury Report entitled "A Year of Five Elections for the City and County of San Francisco"; and
8 be it

9 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors reports that it disagrees wholly
10 or partially with Recommendation No. _____, as follows _____; and, be it

11 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Mayor to cause the
12 implementation of accepted recommendation through his/her department heads and through
13 the development of the annual budget.

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