

1 [Supplemental appropriation for the Day Labor Program 2003-2004]

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3 **Requesting a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$75,000 for the 2002-2003**
4 **fiscal year, and \$90,000 for the 2003-2004 fiscal year to support the operation of the San**
5 **Francisco Day Labor Program.**

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7 WHEREAS, The recent funding history of the Day Labor Program by the City of San
8 Francisco has been: 2000-2001 \$190,000;2001-2002 25,000; 2002-2003 \$25,000; and

9 WHEREAS, In fiscal year 2002, The Mayor’s Office initiated a Request for Proposals
10 (RFP) for the grant money to administer the Day Labor Program, and,

11 WHEREAS, While the RFP was to be determined, in the interim the Mayor granted the
12 Day Labor Program \$25,000 to run the program from July to September 2002, with October 1,
13 2002 to be the start date for the new Day Labor Program contract; and,

14 WHEREAS, La Raza Centro Legal administered the program based upon a belief that
15 the RFP process would be finalized in a timely and fair manner; and,

16 WHEREAS, As of today, the contract to administer the Day Labor has not yet been
17 determined, Since October 1, 2002 the RFP process has twice been invalidated, with a third
18 RFP process not yet initiated; and,

19 WHEREAS, The Day Labor Program continues to be operated by La Raza Centro
20 Legal without any financial assistance from the City, the significant hardship to La Raza Centro
21 Legal includes staff pay cuts, and a reduction of agency wide office hours, and lay offs of less
22 senior staff; and Now Therefore Be It,

23 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors provide a supplemental appropriation in the
24 amount of \$75,000 for the 2002-2003 fiscal year, and \$90,000 for the 2003-2004 fiscal year to
25 support the operation of the San Francisco Day Labor Program.

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