

1 [Enhance the safety of firefighters by utilizing 800MHz portable radios and to transition from
2 CFIRS to NFIRS reporting as required by the State Fire Marshal’s Office.]

3 **Resolution retroactively authorizing the San Francisco Fire Department (SFFD) to**
4 **accept and expend a new grant in the amount of \$409,633 from the Federal Emergency**
5 **Management Agency (FEMA) to acquire 800 MHz portable radios for all firefighters**
6 **working in suppression and to transfer from the California Fire Incident Reporting**
7 **System (CFIRS) to the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS), for the period**
8 **of September 15, 2002 through September 14, 2003.**

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10 WHEREAS, SFFD has applied for and been awarded a grant from FEMA in the
11 amount of \$409,633 to purchase 141 - 800MHz radios for all suppression personnel in the
12 Fire Department and to transfer from CFIRS to NFIRS reporting as statutorily required by the
13 State Fire Marshal’s Office; and

14 WHEREAS, the Fire Department proposes to maximize use of available grant funds on
15 program expenditures by not including indirect costs in the grant budget; now, therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, That Board of Supervisors hereby waives inclusion of indirect costs in the
17 grant budget; and, be it

18 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the SFFD is hereby authorized to retroactively accept
19 and expend a grant in the amount of \$409,633 from FEMA.

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21 Recommended:

Approved: See File for Signature

22 Mayor

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Chief of Department
25 San Francisco Fire Department

Approved: See File for Signature
Controller

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