



City Administrator
Carmen Chu



May 19, 2023

To whom it may concern:

File no. **230739** – Accept and Expend Grant – Retroactive – The Board of State and Community Corrections – Proposition 64 Public Health and Safety Grant Program – \$3,000,000.

Resolution retroactively authorizing the Office of Cannabis to accept and expend a grant award in the amount of \$3,000,000 from May 1, 2023, through October 31, 2028 from the Board of State and Community Corrections Proposition 64 Public Health and Safety Grant Program.

- **Description**: The San Francisco Office of Cannabis (“Office of Cannabis”) operates a local equity program for commercial cannabis activity. The Office of Cannabis will use grant funds to address public health and safety associated with the implementation of Proposition 64 by strengthening compliance, enforcement, and inspection efforts as described in its application for grant funds.
- **Reason for Retroactive Request**: The Office of Cannabis respectfully requests retroactive approval to accept and expend this grant. Due to sequencing considerations, the accept and expend resolution was introduced subsequent to the Grant Agreement’s May 1 start-date and therefore required the retroactivity language. The Office of Cannabis has neither received grant funds nor expended any of them pursuant to this award. The Board of State and Community Corrections await the resolution prior to disbursing funds.
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