

1 [Accept-Expend Federal Grant.]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Mayor’s Office of Criminal Justice (MOCJ) to retroactively**
4 **accept and expend a grant in the amount of \$137,989 from the United States**
5 **Department of Justice (DOJ), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA), under the**
6 **Bulletproof Vest Partnership Program to purchase armor vests for law enforcement**
7 **officers in the Sheriff’s Department, Police Department, Office of the District Attorney,**
8 **Juvenile Probation Department and Adult Probation Department.**

9 WHEREAS, MOCJ is the lead fiscal agency in administering the Bullet Proof Vest
10 Partnership Grant; and

11 WHEREAS, The Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act provides money to be
12 administered by the U.S. Department of Justice, to protect the lives of law enforcement
13 officers by helping states, units of local government and tribal governments to equip their law
14 enforcement officers with armor vests; and

15 WHEREAS, The Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act directs the Bureau of Justice
16 Assistance, Department of Justice, to award money on a need basis to purchase vests; and

17 WHEREAS, In adherence to the Department of Justice requirements that the applicant
18 of each eligible jurisdiction coordinate vests needs among the law enforcement agencies in
19 their jurisdiction that apply; and

20 WHEREAS, The Federal grant requires a fifty percent local contribution toward (i.e.,
21 match of) each jurisdiction’s total costs of eligible vest purchases; and

22 WHEREAS, Because the entire award by the Department of Justice’s Bulletproof Vest
23 Partnership Grant Act funds direct purchases of vests, it is requested that indirect costs be
24 waived; and

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1 WHEREAS, The Sheriff, Police, District Attorney, Juvenile and Adult Probation
2 Departments have budgeted FY07 general funds for the purchase of Bulletproof Vests as
3 matching funds; and

4 WHEREAS, The Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act considers as eligible for
5 funding any vests purchased on or after January 1, 2004 regardless of the federal fiscal year
6 of the grant; and

7 WHEREAS, Under the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Act, the City and County of San
8 Francisco was awarded a supplemental funding grant of \$137,989 for Federal FY2007 to pay
9 50% cost of purchasing bulletproof vests; and

10 WHEREAS, The grant terms prohibit including indirect costs in the grant budget; and

11 WHEREAS, The grant does not require an ASO amendment; and

12 RESOLVED, That MOCJ will be responsible for the fiscal, programmatic and
13 administrative reporting to the Bureau of Justice Assistance; now, therefore, be it

14 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco hereby authorizes
15 MOCJ to retroactively accept and expend \$137,989 from the Department of Justice, to
16 administer the Bulletproof Vest Program.

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Mayor

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