

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Retroactive - Jobs for the Future - Rapid Information Technology
2 Employment Initiative (RITEI) - \$679,000]

3 **Resolution retroactively authorizing the Office of Economic and Workforce**
4 **Development to accept and expend a grant increase in the amount of \$179,000 for a**
5 **total amount of \$679,000 from Jobs for the Future, a recipient of the grant award from**
6 **the United States Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration for**
7 **the Rapid Information Technology Employment Initiative (RITEI) Grant, during the grant**
8 **period of June 25, 2021, through September 30, 2025.**

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10 WHEREAS, The Administrative Code requires City departments to obtain Board of
11 Supervisors' approval to accept or expend any grant funds (Section 10.170 et seq.); and

12 WHEREAS, The United States Department of Labor authorizes H-1B program grants,
13 such as the Rapid Information Technology Employment Initiative (RITEI) grant, to support
14 workforce development for workers who are dislocated due to the H-1B visa program; and,

15 WHEREAS, Jobs for the Future was awarded the RITEI grant and is a pass-through
16 entity for the United States Department of Labor; and

17 WHEREAS, The Office of Economic and Workforce Development will support workers
18 in obtaining information technology (IT) certifications and job placements through targeted
19 training, employer partnerships, and wrap-around support services; and

20 WHEREAS, Jobs for the Future modified the program award to the Office of Economic
21 and Workforce Development from \$500,000 to \$679,000 to support in obtaining information
22 technology (IT) certifications and job placements through targeted training, employer
23 partnerships, and wrap-around support services; and

24 WHEREAS, Adopted budget from Jobs for the Future for the RITEI program for Fiscal
25 Years (FY) 2021-2025 is \$500,000; and

1 WHEREAS, Additional amount of \$179,000 is required to be appropriated to equal the
2 total amount of \$679,000 awarded to the Office of Economic and Workforce Development for
3 FY2021-2026; and

4 WHEREAS, The Office of Economic and Workforce Development RITEI program is
5 delivered in partnership with DevMission and the Mission Economic Development Agency
6 (MEDA); and

7 WHEREAS, The grant does not require an Annual Salary Ordinance amendment; and

8 WHEREAS, The grant budget includes provision for indirect costs of \$65,000
9 calculated at the federal modified direct cost rate; now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That Jobs for the Future may fund the Office of Economic and Workforce
11 Development; and, be it

12 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby approves the Office of
13 Economic and Workforce Development to receive an additional amount of \$179,000 for a total
14 grant award in the amount of \$679,000; and, be it

15 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Office of
16 Economic and Workforce Development to accept and expend, on behalf of the City and
17 County of San Francisco, a grant Jobs for the Future in the amount of \$679,000; and, be it

18 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Director of Economic and Workforce Development is
19 authorized to enter into the agreement on behalf of the City.

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