

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Friends of San Francisco Public Library - Chinatown Branch  
2 Renovation Capital Project - FYs 2026-2027 through 2029-2030 - Up to \$1,500,000 of In-Kind  
3 Gifts, Services, and Cash Monies]

4 **Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Public Library to accept and expend a grant**  
5 **in the amount of up to \$1,500,000 of in-kind gifts, services, and cash monies from the**  
6 **Friends of the San Francisco Public Library for direct support for the Chinatown**  
7 **Branch Renovation Capital Project within the period of Fiscal Years (FY) 2026-2027**  
8 **through 2029-2030.**

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10 WHEREAS, Friends and Foundation of the San Francisco Public Library, commonly  
11 referred to as Friends of the San Francisco Public Library (Friends), is a non-profit  
12 organization that advocates, fundraises, and provides critical support for the San Francisco  
13 Public Library and related literary and educational programs; and

14 WHEREAS, The Public Library submits proposals annually to the Friends for public  
15 programs and services delivered in and through Public Library facilities; and

16 WHEREAS, The Public Library will be advancing to construction on the Chinatown/Him  
17 Mark Lai Branch Library (Chinatown Branch) Renovation project in Fiscal Year (FY) 2026-  
18 2027; and

19 WHEREAS, The Public Library has identified a need to support the Chinatown Branch  
20 Renovation project with funds for one-time project costs related to furniture, fixtures, and  
21 equipment in order to deliver excellent library services in the renovated facility;

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

24 **RESOLVED**, That the Board of Supervisors hereby waives inclusion of indirect costs in  
25 the grant budget; and, be it

1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Public Library is authorized to accept and expend up  
2 to \$1,500,000 of in-kind gifts, services, and cash monies awarded by the Friends of San  
3 Francisco Public Library to support the Chinatown Branch Renovation project.

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5 Recommended: Approved: /s/ Sophia Kittler for \_\_\_\_\_  
6 Mayor Daniel Lurie  
7 /s/ \_\_\_\_\_

8 Michael Lambert Approved: /s/ Jocelyn Quintos for \_\_\_\_\_  
9 City Librarian Greg Wagner, Controller

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