

1 [Appointment – Children and Families First Commission]  
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3 **Resolution appointing Kara Dukakis and Betty Robinson-Harris, terms ending April 29,**  
4 **2010, to the Children and Families First Commission; residency requirement waived.**  
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6 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
7 does hereby appoint the hereinafter designated persons to serve as members of the Children  
8 and Families First Commission, pursuant to the provisions of the San Francisco  
9 Administrative Code, Sections 10.117-122 and 86.1 through 86.5, for the terms specified:

10 Kara Dukakis, succeeding Hector Melendez, term expired, seat 5, must represent one  
11 or more of the following: children services, public health services; behavioral health services,  
12 social services and tobacco and other substance abuse prevention and treatment services;  
13 recipients of project services included in the county strategic plan; educators specializing in  
14 early childhood development; representatives of a local child care resource or referral agency,  
15 the Child Care Planning and Advisory Council or another local child care coordinating group;  
16 representatives of a local organization for prevention or early intervention for families at risk;  
17 representatives of community-based organizations that have the goal of promoting and  
18 nurturing early childhood development; representatives of local school districts; and  
19 representatives of local medical, pediatric, or obstetric associations or societies, for the  
20 unexpired portion of a four-year term ending April 29, 2010.

21 Betty Robinson-Harris (residency requirement waived), succeeding Norman Yee, term  
22 expired, seat 8, must represent one or more of the following: children services, public health  
23 services; behavioral health services, social services and tobacco and other substance abuse  
24 prevention and treatment services; recipients of project services included in the county  
25 strategic plan; educators specializing in early childhood development; representatives of a

1 local child care resource or referral agency, the Child Care Planning and Advisory Council or  
2 another local child care coordinating group; representatives of a local organization for  
3 prevention or early intervention for families at risk; representatives of community-based  
4 organizations that have the goal of promoting and nurturing early childhood development;  
5 representatives of local school districts; and representatives of local medical, pediatric, or  
6 obstetric associations or societies, for the unexpired portion of a four-year term ending April  
7 29, 2010; and, be it

8 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors makes the following findings:

- 9 1. The membership of the Children and Families Commission has a goal to be  
10 representative of the diversity of the City and County of San Francisco.
- 11 2. Applicant Betty Robinson-Harris, a new appointee, who is not a resident of San  
12 Francisco, is a person with experience that uniquely qualifies her to serve on the  
13 Children and Families Commission.
- 14 3. The Children and Families Commission has attempted to fill the position, for which  
15 Betty Robinson-Harris was nominated, with an individual who is a City resident and  
16 who has the specific experience, skills, and qualifications, but has been unable to  
17 do so at this time. The Rules Committee has certified that Betty Robinson-Harris is  
18 qualified to serve on the Children and Families Commission.
- 19 4. After exercising due diligence, the Board of Supervisors concludes that there is no  
20 other possible representative, who is a resident of San Francisco and who has the  
21 specific experience, skills, or qualifications possessed by this applicant, and who is  
22 willing to serve on the Children and Families Commission at this time; and, be it

23 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors waives the residency  
24 requirement for Betty Robinson-Harris, as allowed in cases where no qualified City resident,  
25 willing to serve, can be found, pursuant to Section 4.101 of the City Charter that requires

1 person(s) appointed to boards, commissions, and advisory bodies established by legislative  
2 act of the Board of Supervisors to be resident(s) of the City and County of San Francisco.

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## Tails Resolution

**File Number:** 061357

**Date Passed:**

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October 17, 2006 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED


Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell,  
McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

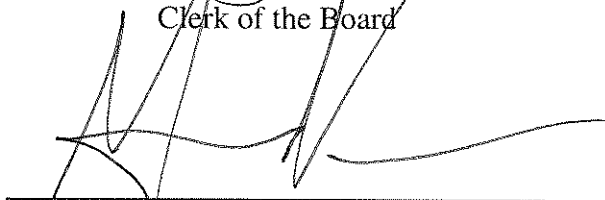
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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 17, 2006 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

October 21, 2006

**Date Approved**

  
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Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

  
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Mayor Gavin Newsom