

1 [Urging the Accelerated Purchase of LRVs]
2 **URGING THE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION TO EXERCISE ITS OPTION TO**
3 **PURCHASE 59 LIGHT RAIL VEHICLES AS PROMPTLY AS POSSIBLE AND URGING THE**
4 **MAYOR AND SAN FRANCISCO'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SECURE**
5 **FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION APPROVAL FOR THE ACQUISITION AS AN**
6 **IMMEDIATE PRIORITY.**

7 WHEREAS, Recent experience with MUNI Metro has clearly demonstrated that
8 replacing the system's old Boeing LRVs is the principal priority to improve the level of service
9 during peak periods; and

10 WHEREAS, MUNI officials had the foresight to include an option for 59 additional LRVs
11 in its last vehicle order; and

12 WHEREAS, The exercise of this purchase option would allow San Francisco to
13 significantly speed the manufacture and delivery of its LRVs; now, therefore, be it

14 **RESOLVED**, That the Board of Supervisors hereby urges the Public Transportation
15 Commission to expedite the exercise of its option to purchase 59 additional LRVs immediately
16 and urges the Mayor and San Francisco's Congressional delegation to secure Federal Transit
17 Administration approval for this acquisition as an immediate priority.

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19 **SUPERVISOR AMMIANO**

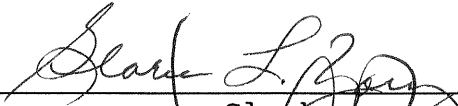
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Ayes: Supervisors Ammiano Brown Kaufman Leno Newsom Teng
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Absent: Supervisors Bierman Katz Medina Yaki

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution
was adopted by the Board of Supervisors
of the City and County of San Francisco


Clerk


Mayor

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