

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Retroactive - Kaiser Permanente - Adoption of Enterprise
2 Electronic Health Record System - \$4,545,455]

3 **Resolution retroactively authorizing the Department of Public Health to accept and**
4 **expend a grant in the amount of \$4,545,455 from Kaiser Permanente through the San**
5 **Francisco General Hospital Foundation to participate in a program, entitled “Adoption**
6 **of Enterprise Electronic Health Record System,” for the period of November 1, 2019,**
7 **through October 31, 2021.**

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9 WHEREAS, Kaiser Permanente (KP), through the San Francisco General Hospital
10 Foundation (SFGHF) as a pass-through entity, has agreed to fund the Department of Public
11 Health (DPH) in the amount of \$4,545,455 for participation in a program, entitled “Adoption of
12 Enterprise Electronic Health Record (EHR) System,” for the period of November 1, 2019,
13 through October 31, 2021; and

14 WHEREAS, The Department of Public Health’s “Street Medicine Team” is a
15 multidisciplinary team of healthcare professionals who serve the most vulnerable individuals in
16 San Francisco; and

17 WHEREAS, The Street Medicine Team sees on average 50 patients daily, and an
18 annual estimate of 5,000 unduplicated persons without access to real-time clinical information,
19 which impacts negatively on their diagnostic and treatment decisions; and

20 WHEREAS, The installation and adoption of Epic will provide DPH with an EHR to
21 provide and coordinate care for patients, clients, and residents of San Francisco and beyond;
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23 WHEREAS, Real-time access to clinical information from health systems throughout
24 San Francisco and the ability to initiate correct treatment faster will have immeasurable
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1 impacts on efficiency and effectiveness to care for the most vulnerable individuals in San
2 Francisco; and

3 WHEREAS, The grant does not require an Annual Salary Ordinance Amendment; and

4 WHEREAS, A request for retroactive approval is being sought because DPH received
5 a memorandum of understanding on November 24, 2020, for a project start date of November
6 1, 2019; and

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

9 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby waives inclusion of indirect costs in
10 the grant budget; and, be it

11 FURTHER RESOLVED, That DPH is hereby authorized to retroactively accept and
12 expend a grant in the amount of \$4,545,455 from KP through SFGHF; and, be it

13 FURTHER RESOLVED, That DPH is hereby authorized to accept and expend the
14 grant funds pursuant to Administrative Code, Section 10.170-1; and, be it

15 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Director of Health is authorized to enter into the
16 Agreement on behalf of the City.

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