

1 [Board Review and Approval of 2008 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
2 Continuum of Care Programs Application]

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4 Resolution approving the City and County of San Francisco 2008 grant Application for the
5 United States Department of Housing and Urban Development Continuum of Care
6 Programs and fulfilling the San Francisco Board of Supervisors review and approval
7 process for all annual or otherwise recurring grants of \$5,000,000 or more.

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9 WHEREAS, Under the Department of Housing and Urban Development 2008 grant
10 application for Continuum of Care programs, the City and County of San Francisco and
11 eligible nonprofit entities are eligible to submit funding applications to assist the homeless;
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13 WHEREAS, Under the San Francisco 2007 Continuum of Care application,
14 San Francisco and its nonprofits were awarded \$18,357,773 based on a very strong
15 and competitive grant application; and

16 WHEREAS, HUD announced, on July 10, 2008, its 2008 Continuum of Care
17 program requirements and guidelines, including an estimated deadline of September 15,
18 2008 deadline for submittal of grant applications; and

19 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Local Homeless Coordinating Board (LHCB) serves
20 as the legal entity that oversees the Continuum of Care process and programs, including
21 the creation of program priorities, funding categories, and application guidelines, and
22 scoring tools; and

23 WHEREAS, The LHCB expects to submit the consolidated application for
24 approximately \$19,900,000, of which a portion of those which passes through the
25 Department of Human Services is greater than \$5,000,000; and

1 WHEREAS, The LHCB has been meeting regularly to better understand the
2 Continuum of Care process and programs, including receiving community input and
3 participation in the development of program priorities, application scoring criteria, and
4 application guidelines and process; and

5 WHEREAS, The LHCB with community input and advice, approved a 2008
6 application process, scoring criteria, and funding priorities for the 2008 Application; and

7 WHEREAS, The 2008 application process established funding categories that
8 include Permanent Supportive Housing, Transitional Housing, Safe Haven, and Supportive
9 Services; and

10 WHEREAS, Under San Francisco Ordinance 265-05, the appropriate City
11 department shall submit a resolution articulating its grant application as well as funding
12 categories to the Board of Supervisors for all annual grant applications of \$5,000,000 or
13 more; now, therefore be it,

14 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Local Homeless Coordinating and the
15 Department of Human Services are authorized to submit a 2008 Continuum of Care
16 application; and be it

17 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors will provide a
18 timely review and approval of the 2008 Continuum of Care application with recognition that
19 such application at the time of the Board review and approval will include funding
20 categories and general description of the application.

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