

1 [Apply for Grant - Ryan White Act HIV/AIDS Emergency Relief - \$36,118,233]

2 **Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Health to submit an application to**
3 **continue to receive funding for the Ryan White Act HIV/AIDS Emergency Relief Grant**
4 **Program (Ryan White Programs, Part A) Grant from the Health Resources Services**
5 **Administration, requesting \$36,118,233 in HIV emergency relief program funding for the**
6 **San Francisco Eligible Metropolitan Area for the period of March 1, 2015, through**
7 **February 28, 2016.**

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9 WHEREAS, Section 10.170.(b) of the San Francisco Administrative Code requires
10 Board review of proposed annual or otherwise recurring grant applications of \$5,000,000 or
11 more prior to their submission; and

12 WHEREAS, San Francisco Department of Public Health (SFDPH) is currently a
13 recipient of the “Ryan White Act HIV/AIDS Emergency Relief Grant Program” grant in the
14 amount of approximately \$15,897,550 from the Health Resources Services Administration
15 (HRSA) for fiscal year 2014; and

16 WHEREAS, For this round of funding, SFDPH was instructed by HRSA to submit an
17 application request in the amount of \$36,118,233; and

18 WHEREAS, SFDPH uses these funds to cover a multitude of health services to HIV
19 positive persons residing in the three counties within the San Francisco Eligible Metropolitan
20 Areas; and

21 WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 265-05 requires that City Departments submit applications
22 for approval at least 60 days prior to the grant deadline for review and approval; and

23 WHEREAS, HRSA released the application guidance on July 7, 2014 with a due date
24 of September 19, 2014 allowing 72 days for the entire process; and
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1 WHEREAS, In the interest of timeliness, SFDPH is making this request for approval by
2 submitting its' most recent draft of the grant application, also including supporting documents
3 as required, all of which are on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No.
4 _____, which is hereby declared to be part of the Resolution as if set forth
5 fully herein; and, now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby approves SFDPH's application
7 submission to HRSA for the "Ryan White Act HIV/AIDS Emergency Relief Grant Program
8 (Ryan White Programs, Part A)" grant for the funding period of March 1, 2015 through
9 February 28, 2016, to be submitted no later than September 19, 2014.

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11 RECOMMENDED:

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16 Director of Health

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