

1 [Accept-Expend Resolution for the San Francisco Arts Commission’s WritersCorps Grant from  
2 the California Arts Council’s Artists-in-Schools Program]

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4 **Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Arts Commission to retroactively accept and**  
5 **expend a grant totaling \$9,600 from the California Arts Council’s Artists-in-Schools**  
6 **Program to help support the cost of a contracted teaching artist working at Mission**  
7 **High School.**

8 WHEREAS, The award-winning WritersCorps program of the San Francisco Arts  
9 Commission celebrated its 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2009 teaching creative writing to 450 San  
10 Francisco’s at-risk youth in public schools, detention facilities, libraries and after-school  
11 programs each year by placing professional writers in these community settings; and

12 WHEREAS, WritersCorps publications also in 2009 received the New York Public  
13 Library’s Best of Teen Books award and was featured in the *New York Times Review of*  
14 *Books*; and

15 WHEREAS, WritersCorps has received a grant award from the California Arts Council  
16 (dated 10/1/09-6/30/10) to help support the teaching artists working in community settings;  
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18 WHEREAS, this WritersCorps grant from the California Arts Council Artists in Schools  
19 Program does not require an ASO amendment, and;

20 WHEREAS, This grant specifically supports Milta Ortiz’s residency at Mission High  
21 School; now therefore be it

22 RESOLVED, That that the Board of Supervisors allows for the retroactive accepting  
23 and expending of this awarded CAC grant to the Arts Commission, waiving inclusion of  
24 indirect costs in the grant budget; now, therefore, let it be

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1 Further RESOLVED that the Arts Commission's request, which has been funded, be  
2 carried out in accordance with all grant requirements and may be spent and reported upon  
3 accordingly.

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5 Recommended: \_\_\_\_\_

6 Department Head: Luis R. Cancel, Director of Cultural Affairs

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8 Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

9 Mayor Gavin Newsom

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11 Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

12 Controller

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