

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan, Inc. (Anthem) -
2 Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program Funding - San Francisco - \$268,000]

3 **Resolution authorizing the Human Services Agency to accept and expend a grant in the**
4 **total amount of \$268,000 from the Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan, Inc. for**
5 **participation in the program entitled “Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program**
6 **Funding - San Francisco” for the period of April 1, 2026, through March 31, 2030.**

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8 WHEREAS, The Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan, Inc. (Anthem) awarded the
9 San Francisco Human Services Agency (SFHSA) Housing and Homelessness Incentive
10 Program (HHIP) funding in support of increased enrollment in HSA benefits among unhoused
11 clients; and

12 WHEREAS, The Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan, Inc. issued a grant award,
13 dated October 16, 2025, notifying the City and County of San Francisco of its grant award
14 dollar amount of \$268,000, multi-year grant period dates of April 1, 2026, through March 31,
15 2030, and terms and conditions to comply with the grant agreement; and

16 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Human Services Agency intends to utilize these grant
17 funds towards SFHSA public benefits (including Med-Cal, In-Home Supportive Services, and
18 Social Security Insurance advocacy) access and advocacy for homeless individuals, through
19 a partnership between SFHSA and the San Francisco Department of Homelessness and
20 Supportive Housing (SFHSH), as well as funding an SFHSA trainer specifically dedicated to
21 SFHSH; and

22 WHEREAS, The Human Services Agency will not use these funds to supplant existing
23 funds paying for current services; and

24 WHEREAS, The grant does not require an ASO amendment; and
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1 WHEREAS, There are no restrictions related to the spending of accrued interest
2 earned on the grant funds; and

3 WHEREAS, The Human Services Agency proposes to maximize use of available grant
4 funds on program expenditures by not including indirect costs in the grant budget; now,
5 therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the Human Services Agency is hereby authorized and directed to
7 accept and expend the Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program Funding in the amount
8 of \$268,000 to facilitate the connection of unhoused clients with HSA benefits; and, be it

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

11 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Executive Director of the Human Services Agency, or
12 his or her designee, is hereby authorized and directed to act on behalf of the City in
13 connection with the Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program Funding, and to enter into,
14 execute, and deliver any and all documents required or deemed necessary or appropriate to
15 accept and expend this funding.

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19 Recommended:

Approved: _____/s/

20 Mayor

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22 Trent Rhorer

Approved: _____/s/

23 Human Services Agency

Controller

24 Executive Director