

1 [Urging U.S. Senators Dianne Feinstein and Barbara Boxer to fully fund Section 8.]

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3 **Resolution urging U.S. Senators Dianne Feinstein and Barbara Boxer to fully fund the**  
4 **Section 8 voucher program, so that all current recipients may preserve their housing**  
5 **and those on the waiting list may receive new vouchers in the coming fiscal year.**  
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7 WHEREAS, The United States House of Representatives has forwarded a budget for  
8 the coming fiscal year which underfunds the Section 8 voucher program and puts  
9 approximately 87,000 households at-risk of homelessness; and

10 WHEREAS, In San Francisco, 17,000 households depend on Section 8 vouchers and  
11 approximately 35,000 are on the waiting list for the program; and

12 WHEREAS, Preserving this resource is an important component of the City's over-all  
13 efforts to maintain permanent affordable housing; and

14 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
15 urge U.S. Senators Dianne Feinstein and Barbara Boxer to take immediate action to fully fund  
16 the Section 8 voucher program, so that all current recipients may preserve their housing and  
17 those on the waiting list may receive new vouchers in the coming fiscal year.

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