Accept-Expend	San	Francisco	Urban	Gleaning	Project
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Resolution authorizing the Department of the Environment to accept and expend a grant in the amount of \$15,000.00 from the San Francisco Foundation to implement the San Francisco Urban Gleaning Project.

WHEREAS, Based on the evaluation of responses to a San Francisco Foundation request for proposals, the Department of the Environment's Urban Forest Program was selected to be the recipient of a \$15,000.00 grant to start the San Francisco Urban Gleaning Project; and,

WHEREAS, This program uses the City's urban forest resource to provide fresh fruit to the city's underserved residents; and,

WHEREAS, The Food Bank's 2007 study on local hunger indicates that 25% of all children and 20% of all adults lack the resources needed to be food-secure; and,

WHEREAS, The 2007 Community Healthy Kids Survey indicated that only 29% of 9th graders, 37% of 10th graders, 36% of 11th graders, and 37% of 12th grade students ate fresh produce one or more times during the seven days preceding the survey; and,

WHEREAS, A similar gleaning program in San Jose reports harvesting over 120,000 pounds of unwanted produce in 2008 and almost 70,000 lbs of in the first five months of 2009 alone; and,

WHEREAS, Funding from this grant will create a database of local fruit trees whose owners do not collect the fruit and connect volunteers to assist with gleaning these trees; and,

WHEREAS, fruit tree pruning and safe harvesting practices will be included in training for the volunteers; and,

WHEREAS, The grant does not allow indirect costs; and,

WHEREAS, The grant does not require an ASO amendment; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors authorizes the Director of the Department of the Environment to accept and expend funding in the amount of \$15,000.00 from the San Francisco Foundation to support the San Francisco Urban Gleaning Project.

Recommended:

Department Head

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Approved:

Controller, Grant Division



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July 28, 2009 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Mar, Maxwell, Mirkarimi

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on July 28, 2009 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

> Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board

Mayor Ga n Newsom

Date Approved