

1 [Competitive Bid and Prevailing Wage Exemption for Job Training Program -- San Francisco
2 Conservation Corps.]

3 **Ordinance exempting the San Francisco Conservation Corps from the prevailing wage**
4 **requirements and waiving the competitive bid requirements for the Recreation and**
5 **Park Commission’s award of a contract for construction of playgrounds, restoration of**
6 **natural areas and implementation of erosion control measures in San Francisco parks.**

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8 Note: The entire section is new.

9 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

10 Section 1. FINDINGS. The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San
11 Francisco hereby finds and declare as follows:

- 12 1. The San Francisco Conservation Corps is a nonprofit organization that serves the
13 public interest by providing job training and work experience.
- 14 2. Programs that enhance the skills of disadvantaged individuals will have a significant
15 positive impact on the economic health of the City.
- 16 3. The Board of Directors of the San Francisco Conservation Corps is appointed by
17 the Mayor.
- 18 4. The Recreation and Park Commission wishes to award a negotiated contract in an
19 amount not to exceed \$2.5 million over a period of four and one-half years, subject to annual
20 appropriation of funds, to the San Francisco Conservation Corps for construction of
21 playgrounds, restoration of natural areas and implementation of erosion control measures in
22 San Francisco parks. The public will benefit from both the work to be performed and the
23 training and work experience that will be gained by disadvantaged individuals

24 Section 2. The Recreation and Park Commission is hereby authorized to award a
25 negotiated contract in an amount not to exceed \$2.5 million over a period of four and one-half

1 years, subject to annual appropriation of funds, to the San Francisco Conservation Corps for
2 construction of playgrounds, restoration of natural areas and implementation of erosion
3 control measures in San Francisco parks. The competitive bidding requirements of Chapter 6
4 of the San Francisco Administrative Code shall not apply to the award of said contract.
5 Pursuant to San Francisco Charter section A7.204(b), the San Francisco Conservation Corps
6 is exempt from the payment of prevailing wage rates on the contract awarded pursuant to this
7 ordinance.

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