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[Resolution to Retroactively Apply, Accept and Expend Funds from the State of California's "Safe Routes to Schools" Program]

Resolution authorizing the Director of Transportation or his designee to apply for retroactively, accept, and expend \$444,060.00 in California State "Safe Routes to Schools" funds, with required local match of \$48,940.00.

WHEREAS, The California State Assembly enacted Assembly Bill 1475 in 1999 to establish and administer a "Safe Routes to School" (SR2S) construction grant program, and to use federal transportation construction funds for construction of bicycle and pedestrian safety and traffic calming projects; and,

WHEREAS, These "Safe Routes to School" funds are made available to local governmental agencies under the program based on the results of a statewide competition that requires submission of proposals for funding which are then rated on demonstration of need, potential to implement safety countermeasures, and encouragement of walking and bicycling to school; and,

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco recognizes the importance of promoting and implementing school traffic and pedestrian safety solutions for kindergarten through grade twelve school children, parents, and communities; and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Department of Parking and Traffic has requested "Safe Routes to School" grant funds during the second cycle of this program, totaling \$493,000.00, to construct pedestrian safety countermeasures in the area around Horace Mann Academic Middle School; and,

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WHEREAS, The Horace Mann School Administration, Horace Mann Parent-Teacher Association, and surrounding local community are collaborative supporters of this proposal;

WHEREAS, Specific safety improvements and countermeasures have been identified in concept for implementation in the Horace Mann School area; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco authorizes the Director of Transportation or his designee to apply for retroactively, accept and expend \$444,060.00 in Fiscal Year 2002/2003 "Safe Routes to School" construction grant program funds, Assembly Bill 1475 (1999), with required local match of \$48,940.00 to construct sidewalk bulb-outs, construct median refuges, paint ladder-style yellow area crosswalks; install high-velocity florescent yellow-green school crossing signs in areas designated for Horace Mann Academic

Recommended:

Approved:

Mayor

Department Head



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August 26, 2003 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Ammiano, Gonzalez, Hall, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Newsom, Peskin,

Sandoval

Excused: 2 - Daly, Dufty

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on August 26, 2003 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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Date Approved

Gloria L. Young Clerk of the Board

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

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