

1 [Accept-Expend Federal Grant]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Sheriff's Department to accept and expend a grant in the**
4 **amount of \$25,818 for the year 2000 and \$15,318 for the year 2001 from the U.S.**
5 **Department of Justice under the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Act to equip law**
6 **enforcement officers in the Sheriff's Department and the Office of the District Attorney**
7 **with armor vests.**

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9 WHEREAS, The Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act of 1998 (Public Law 105-181)
10 provides money to be administered by the U.S. Department of Justice, to protect the lives of
11 law enforcement officers by helping States, units of local government, and tribal governments
12 to equip their law enforcement officers with armor vests; and

13 WHEREAS, The Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act directs the Bureau of Justice
14 Assistance, Department of Justice, to award money on a need basis to purchase vests; and

15 WHEREAS, In adherence to Department of Justice requirements that the applicant of
16 each eligible jurisdiction coordinate vests needs among the law enforcement agencies in
17 their jurisdiction that apply; and

18 WHEREAS, The Federal grant requires a fifty percent match on each jurisdiction's
19 total award for the purchase of bulletproof vests; and

20 WHEREAS, Because the entire award by the Department of Justice's Bulletproof Vest
21 Partnership Grant Act funds direct purchases of vests, it is requested that indirect costs be
22 waived; and

23 WHEREAS, The Sheriff and the District Attorney have budgeted over \$ 41,136 for the
24 purchase of Bulletproof Vests as matching funds; and

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1 WHEREAS, The act considers as eligible for funding any vests purchased on or after
2 March 1, 1999 regardless of the federal fiscal year of the grant award; and

3 WHEREAS, Under the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Act, the City and County of San
4 Francisco was awarded \$25,818 for year 2000 and \$15,318 for year 2001 to purchase 233
5 bulletproof vests; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
7 authorizes the Sheriff's Department to accept and expend \$ 25,818 for the year 2000 and
8 \$15,318 for the year 2001 in grant funds from the Federal Department of Justice under the
9 Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act of 1998.

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14 Department Head

Approved: _____
Mayor

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Controller