

1 [Board Review and Approval of 2007 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban  
2 Development Continuum of Care Programs Application]

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3 **Resolution approving the City and County of San Francisco 2007 grant**  
4 **application for the United States Department of Housing and Urban**  
5 **Development Continuum of Care Programs and fulfilling the San Francisco**  
6 **Board of Supervisors review and approval process for all annual or**  
7 **otherwise recurring grants of \$5,000,000 or more.**

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9 WHEREAS, Under the Department of Housing and Urban Development  
10 2007 grant application for Continuum of Care Programs, the City and County of  
11 San Francisco and eligible nonprofit entities are eligible to submit funding  
12 applications to assist the homeless; and

13 WHEREAS, Under the San Francisco 2006 Continuum of Care application,  
14 San Francisco and its nonprofits were awarded \$18,910,893 based on very  
15 strong and complete grant application; and

16 WHEREAS, HUD, is expected to announce soon its 2007 Continuum of  
17 Care program requirements and guidelines, including an anticipated May 29,  
18 2007 deadline for submittal of grant applications; and

19 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Local Homeless Coordinating Board  
20 (LHCB) serves as the legal entity that oversees the Continuum of Care process  
21 and programs, including the creation of program priorities, funding categories,  
22 and application guidelines; and

23 WHEREAS, THE LHCB expects to submit a consolidated application for at  
24 least \$18,000,000, of which the portion of those which passes through the  
25 Department of Human Services is greater than \$5,000,000; and

1           WHEREAS, The LHCB has been meeting regularly to better understand the  
2 Continuum of Care process and programs, including receiving community input  
3 and participation in the development of program priorities and categories and as  
4 well as application guidelines and process; and

5           WHEREAS, on January 8, 2007 and February 5, 2007, the LHCB with  
6 community input and advice, approved a 2007 application process to allow all  
7 eligible applicants sufficient time to complete competitive grant applications that  
8 will be evaluated and ranked by the LHCB for submittal as part of a  
9 comprehensive grant application prior to the anticipated May 29, 2007 deadline;

10           WHEREAS, the 2007 application process established funding categories  
11 that include Permanent Supportive Housing, Transitional Housing, Safe Haven,  
12 Supportive Services and the Shelter Plus Care Program; and

13           WHEREAS, Under San Francisco Ordinance 265-05, the appropriate City  
14 department shall submit a resolution articulating its grant application as well as  
15 funding categories to the Board of Supervisors for all annual grant applications of  
16 \$5,000,000 or more; now, therefore, be it

17           RESOLVED, That San Francisco Local Homeless Coordinating Board and  
18 the Department of Human Services are authorized to submit a 2007 Continuum of  
19 Care application; and, be it

20           FURTHER RESOLVED, That San Francisco Board of Supervisors will  
21 provide for a timely review and approval of the 2007 Continuum of Care  
22 application with recognition that such application at the time of Board review and  
23 approval will include funding categories and general description of the  
24 application.

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6           Executive Director

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