

1 **[San Francisco Lending Library]**

2 **SUPPORTING THE CREATION OF A TOOL LENDING LIBRARY AND URGING**
3 **THE SAN FRANCISCO LIBRARY AND THE MAYOR TO INCLUDE FUNDING IN**
4 **THE CITY'S FISCAL YEAR 1999-2000 BUDGET FOR A TOOL LENDING**
5 **LIBRARY.**

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7 WHEREAS, One of the missions of the San Francisco Library is to provide resources
8 to City residents which assist them in their daily lives; and

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10 WHEREAS, The City of San Francisco has many programs to encourage
11 revitalization of neighborhoods, home ownership, beautification of property, and building
12 community businesses; and

13 WHEREAS, Many San Francisco residents, community groups and small businesses
14 do not have the resources available to them to undertake home repair, community rebuilding
15 or other improvement projects; and

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17 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Library should assist communities with both the
18 knowledge necessary for such improvements but also with the tools to undertake such
19 projects; and

20 WHEREAS, A Tool Lending Library allows residents with a library card to borrow,
21 for a few days, various home repair and gardening tools they otherwise would not be able to
22 afford; and

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25 **SUPERVISOR KAUFMAN, KATZ, NEWSOM, BECERRIL**

1 WHEREAS, San Francisco residents would greatly benefit from access to tools such
2 as weed-eaters, demolition hammers, ladders, cement mixers, saws, drills and plumbing
3 snakes to help build and improve their homes, businesses and neighborhoods; and

4 WHEREAS, The City of Berkeley has successfully run a Tool Lending Library since
5 1979 and now has over 2,500 tools for use by its residents; and

6 WHEREAS, The City of San Francisco has the resources needed to implement a
7 similar Tool Lending Library program for its residents; now, therefore be it

8 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors supports the creation of a Tool Lending
9 Library in the City of San Francisco; and be it
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11 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board Supervisors urges the San Francisco Library
12 and the Mayor to include funding in the City's Fiscal Year 1999-2000 budget for a
13 neighborhood "Tool Lending Library."
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Resolution

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Resolution supporting the creation of a Tool Lending Library and urging the San Francisco Library and the Mayor to include funding in the City's Fiscal Year 1999-2000 Budget for a Tool Lending Library.

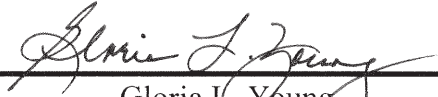
June 1, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Becerril, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng,
Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Bierman

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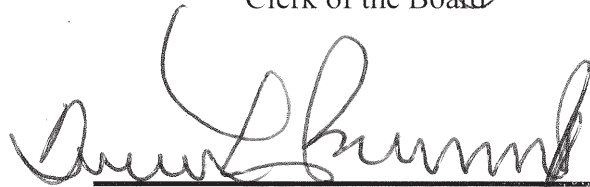
I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on June 1, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved



Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.