

1 [Supporting Assembly Bill 1475]  
2 SUPPORTING ASSEMBLY BILL 1475, THE SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL BILL OF  
3 1999, AND URGING THE STATE LEGISLATURE AND GOVERNOR DAVIS TO APPROVE  
4 THE BILL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

5 WHEREAS, Pedestrian deaths in San Francisco have recently  
6 doubled; and

7 WHEREAS, Pedestrian and bicyclist deaths in San Francisco  
8 account for nearly half of all traffic-related fatalities in a given  
9 year; and

10 WHEREAS, Safe and convenient places to walk and bicycle are  
11 essential to both public safety and an effective "Transit First"  
12 policy, improving public health and reducing neighborhood traffic  
13 congestion; and,

14 WHEREAS, The state of California is receiving an increase of  
15 more than 40% in federal transportation funding; and

16 WHEREAS, AB 1475 designates a portion of the federal  
17 transportation safety funds received by the state be dedicated by  
18 local governments to improving school area safety, including such  
19 projects as new crosswalks, pedestrian and bicycle paths, bike lanes,  
20 construction of new sidewalks, and traffic calming programs in  
21 neighborhoods near schools; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
23 County of San Francisco supports Assembly Bill 1475, the Safe Routes  
24 to School Bill of 1999, and urges the state legislature and Governor  
25 Davis to approve the bill as soon as possible.

SUPERVISOR, BIERMAN, KATZ, AMMIANO, BECERRIL, TENG  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



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## Tails Resolution

**File Number:** 990756

**Date Passed:**

Resolution supporting Assembly Bill 1475, the Safe Routes to School Bill of 1999, and urging the State Legislature and Governor Davis to approve the bill as soon as possible.

April 26, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

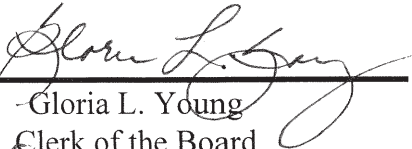
Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng, Yaki, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on April 26, 1999 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.