

1 [ACCEPTANCE OF A GIFT FROM THE CHRONICLE PUBLISHING COMPANY]
2 AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A GIFT OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND
3 DOLLARS FROM THE CHRONICLE PUBLISHING COMPANY TO FUND A RED LIGHT
4 CAMERA AT THE INTERSECTION OF 5TH AND MISSION STREETS.

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6 WHEREAS, The mission of the Department of Parking and Traffic includes the
7 improvement of traffic safety as one of its most important tasks; and,

8 WHEREAS, Red light violators cause approximately twenty-five percent of all traffic
9 collisions at signalized intersections in San Francisco; and,

10 WHEREAS, San Francisco's pilot Red Light Photo Enforcement Program reduced the
11 number of motorists violating red lights at camera locations by more than 40 percent; and,

12 WHEREAS, California law greatly increased the revenue received from each red light
13 violation citation to provide adequate funding for all operational costs of the Red Light Photo
14 Enforcement Program; and,

15 WHEREAS, The Chronicle Publishing Company has offered to make a gift of one
16 hundred thousand dollars to the City for use by the Department of Parking and Traffic to
17 defray the costs of purchasing and installing red light photo enforcement equipment at the
18 intersection of 5th and Mission Streets; now therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors authorizes acceptance of a
20 one hundred thousand dollar gift by the Chronicle Publishing Company and, be it

21 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Department of Parking and Traffic is authorized to
22 expend these funds to install an automated enforcement system at the intersection of 5th and
23 Mission Streets.

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City and County of San Francisco

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Date Passed:

Resolution authorizing the acceptance of a gift of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) from the Chronicle Publishing Company to fund a red light camera at the intersection of 5th and Mission Streets.

December 13, 1999 Board of Supervisors — SEVERED FROM CONSENT AGENDA

December 13, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

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

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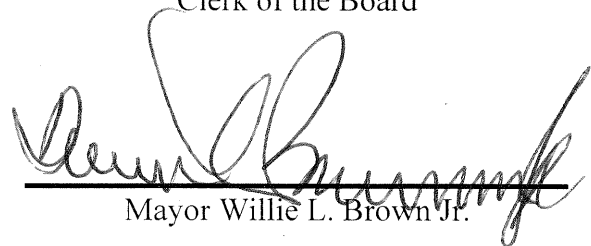
I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on December 13, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

DEC 23 1999

Date Approved



Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.