

1 [Grant of Regional Funds.]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Municipal Transportation Agency to accept and expend**
4 **\$35,710,000 of Regional Measure 2 funds for Municipal Railway capital projects.**

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6 WHEREAS, On March 2, 2004, Bay Area county voters cumulatively passed Regional Measure
7 2 (RM-2), under which the tolls on the seven State-owned toll bridges in the San Francisco Bay Area
8 increased by \$1.00 effective July 1,2004; and,

9 WHEREAS, Regional Measure 2 will raise an estimated \$125 million each year to implement
10 the Regional Traffic Relief Plan, which includes transit operating assistance and funding of specified
11 capital projects within the region that have been determined to reduce congestion or make
12 improvements to travel in the toll bridge corridors; and

13 WHEREAS, As the transportation planning, coordinating and financing agency of the nine-
14 county Bay Area, the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) allocates RM-2 funding; and,

15 WHEREAS, Under Section 30914(c) of the Streets and Highways Code, the MUNI Metro
16 Third Street Light Rail Line and MUNI Waterfront Historic Streetcar Expansion capital projects are
17 eligible for RM-2 funding; and,

18 WHEREAS, The Municipal Transportation Agency has applied to MTC for \$30,000,000 for the
19 MUNI Metro Third Street Light Rail Line capital project and \$5,710,000 for the MUNI Waterfront
20 Historic Streetcar Expansion capital project from available RM-2 funds; now, therefore be it,

21 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors authorizes the Municipal Transportation Agency to accept
22 and expend \$30,000,000 for the MUNI Metro Third Street Light Rail Line capital project and
23 \$5,710,000 for the MUNI Waterfront Historic Streetcar Expansion capital project in available Regional
24 Measure 2 funds; and, be it

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1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the MTA is authorized to furnish whatever additional
2 information as may be requested by the funding agency in connection with this request.

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4 **RECOMMENDED:**

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8 GAVIN NEWSOM
9 Mayor

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13 EDWARD HARRINGTON
14 Controller