Resolution supporting the City's application to the State of California for the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA).

[Supporting the City's application for Prop 63 Mental Health Funding.]

WHEREAS, the Mental Health Services Act was passed by California voters in November 2004, which establishes funding for mental health programs and services; and,

WHEREAS, the State of California's Department of Health has given counties an opportunity to apply for funding from the Mental Health Services Act monies to support local mental health programs and services; and,

WHEREAS, a 40 member Behavior Health Innovations Task Force was convened and held 7 community meetings throughout San Francisco to assist in the prioritizations of services; and,

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Department of Public Health engaged in an extensive outreach process to determine the needs and priorities for mental health funding from the Mental Health Services Act monies; and, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors supports the City's application to the State of California for the Mental Health Services Funding and requests the State's Department of Mental Health to give it due consideration.



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Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick,

Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval Excused: 1 - Alioto-Pier

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 11, 2005 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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Date Approved

Mayor Gavin Newsom

Clerk of the Board