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Completed by: __Nicole Lyshorn___ Date __7/19/12_____  
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[Adoption of the Distributed Consortia-Based Option for the California Health Benefit Exchange Board Call Center]

Resolution calling on the California Health Benefit Exchange Board (HBEX) to adopt the Distributed Consortia-Based Option (Option 4) for the HBEX Call Center.

WHEREAS, The stated goal of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act is to increase access to health care for currently uninsured and underinsured Americans; and

WHEREAS, California is leading the way in the implementation of the Affordable Care Act by establishing a state-based benefits exchange and planning to implement the Medicaid expansion outlined in the Act; and, 

WHEREAS, HBEX is currently considering plans to develop a web portal and call center to facilitate enrollment and is considering four different options for the design and operation of the call center; and,

WHEREAS, HBEX is committed to providing a "no wrong door" approach to enrollment of newly eligible Californians into Medi-Cal by maximizing outreach and providing as many avenues for enrollment as possible; and,

WHEREAS, California's counties are currently delegated the responsibility for determining eligibility and enrolling clients into Medi-Cal by state statutes (Welfare and Institutions Code 14154(d), §14153, §10823); and,

WHEREAS, Counties have demonstrated their resilience in maintaining functional Medi-Cal eligibility and enrollment operations despite drastic cuts to County budgets since the onset of the recession; and,

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WHEREAS, Counties currently operate well-integrated call centers and IT systems to facilitate enrollment staffed by knowledgeable and professional staff who know the particulars of the Medi-Cal system; and,

WHEREAS, Counties have already begun preparing for the influx of new Medi-Cal enrollees and are already planning to expand capacity to be ready for January 1, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Building off of the existing County call center infrastructure will provide the HBEX with the most cost-effective means of building an integrated call center in the shortest amount of time; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors officially urges the California Health Benefit Exchange Board to adopt the Distributed Consortia-Based Option (Option 4) for the HBEX Call Center.
Introduction Form

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):

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   An ordinance, resolution, motion, or charter amendment.
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☐ 9. Request for Closed Session (attach written motion).

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☐ Planning Commission   ☐ Building Inspection Commission

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Sponsor(s):

Supervisor John Avalos

Subject:

Adoption of the Distributed Consortia-Based Option for the California Health Benefit Exchange Board Call Center

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