[Approving Child Care Subsidy Plan]

Resolution approving county individualized child care subsidy plan authorized by Senate Bill 701 (Migden), for submission to California Department of Education, Child Development Division.

WHEREAS, Child development centers contracting with the California Department of Education to serve low-income families with quality child care and education and family support services are central to the lives of children, families and the communities through out San Francisco and the state; and,

WHEREAS, These child development centers have demonstrated positive outcomes in preparing San Francisco's low-income children for success in school measuring their progress through the California Department of Education's Desired Results system; and,

WHEREAS, After child care providers and community stakeholders in San Francisco have identified specific areas in the child care service delivery system that require modification to accommodate local needs, the City and County of San Francisco sponsored SB 701, at the behest of the Child Care Planning and Advisory Council (CPAC, the Local Child Care Planning Council), and authored by Senator Carole Migden; and,

WHEREAS, With no new or additional funding, SB 701 authorizes San Francisco child care stakeholders to implement a five-year pilot after the development and approval of a county child care plan tailored to meet the needs, conditions and priorities of families, and to narrowly craft changes in state rules affecting four distinct areas: eligibility criteria, participant fees, provider reimbursement rates, and other methods of maximizing subsidy funds; and,

WHEREAS, As required by state law, the county child care subsidy plan evaluation design and outcome measures will be reviewed by the Senate Office of Research, the

Legislative Analyst's Office, the California Department of Social Services and have been approved by CPAC; and a public hearing has been held on the plan; and,

WHEREAS, As required by state law, prior to submission of the plan to the California

Department of Education for review, there has been presented to this Board for consideration

and approval, a San Francisco County Individualized Child Care Subsidy Plan meeting all of the requirements in the authorizing legislation (SB 701); and,
WHEREAS, The San Francisco City and County Board of Supervisors resolved in April 2005 to: 1) Recognize the value and contribution of child development centers contracting with the California Department of Education through Title V to provide services to the children, families and communities of this county and recognize the serious inequity in the lack of fiscal support for such centers, and 2) Support an effort to add a statutory requirement that any child development center in this county contracting with the California Department of Education through Title V shall be reimbursed at a rate that a addresses quality and cost of care, and 3) Encourage the legislative delegation of this county to seek an appropriate remedy for this problem in Sacramento and call upon the Governor of California to provide the appropriate funding in his FY 2005-06 Budget; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco hereby endorses the county individualized child care subsidy plan authorized by Senate Bill 701 (Migden), for submission to California Department of Education, Child Development Division; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors shall, upon final adoption of this resolution, forward copies to the office of Senator Carole Migden and the California Department of Education, Child Development Division.



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## Resolution

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Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on September 13, 2005 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young/ Clerk of the Board

9-16-05

**Date Approved** 

Mayor Gavin Newsom