

Amendment of the Whole 11/23/98
in Board

[Living Wage Task Force]

ESTABLISHING AN ADVISORY TASK FORCE TO EVALUATE THE IMPACT
AND BENEFITS OF LIVING WAGE PROPOSALS ON SAN FRANCISCO'S
ECONOMY, BUSINESSES, NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND RESIDENTS
AND SETTING FORTH THE MEMBERSHIP AND DUTIES OF THE TASK
FORCE.

WHEREAS, A number of cities have recently adopted or are considering
ordinances mandating minimum wage and benefits levels for private sector employees;
and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco can benefit greatly from the
participation and expertise of members of the public, businesses, non-profit
organizations, labor unions, low wage earners and other groups potentially affected by
any minimum wage or "living wage" proposal; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby creates an advisory task
force, called the Living Wage Task Force, to evaluate the impact and benefits of living
wage proposals on San Francisco's economy, businesses, non-profit organizations and
residents; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Living Wage Task Force shall aid the Board of
Supervisors and the Mayor in reviewing various proposals, legislation and studies of the
impact and benefits of a "living wage" ordinance; and, be it

Supervisor, Kaufman, Bierman

1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board shall refer any “living wage” proposals,
2 studies and relevant reports to the Task Force for consideration and input before voting
3 on any legislation creating a “Living Wage”; and be it

4 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall study, discuss and provide
5 comments on “living wage” legislative proposals, supporting research and analysis, and
6 related issues they deem appropriate and subsequently communicate to the Mayor and the
7 Board of Supervisors their findings and recommendations regarding such proposals; and
8 be it

9 FURTHER RESOLVED, That Task Force members shall be prepared to testify
10 before the Board of Supervisors, if so requested, on “living wage” issues and legislation;
11 and be it

12 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Living Wage Task Force shall be comprised of
13 15 members, appointed in the following manner:

14 -- One (1) by each of the eleven members of the Board of Supervisors,

15 -- Four (4) by the entire Board of Supervisors, as follows:

16 --One (1) representative of small, medium or large businesses that
17 contract with the City;

18 --One (1) representative of low-income workers from non-profits or
19 businesses that contract with the City;

20 --One (1) representative of non-profit organizations that contract with the
21 City;

--One (1) representative of organized labor;

and these eleven individual appointments by Board members shall be made from those individuals who represent small and large businesses, non-profit and other organizations that contract with the City, labor and other communities potentially affected by the passage of a "living wage ordinance;" and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall be open, public and diverse; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the members shall appoint a Chair to convene and run meetings and to work with city staff to ensure that meetings are properly noticed and Board is informed of Task Force actions; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That meetings of the Living Wage Task Force shall be open to the public and comply with San Francisco's Sunshine Ordinance; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Office of the City Administrator shall provide staff support for the Task Force; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Living Wage Task Force shall expire within 6 months of approval of this resolution.

Supervisor Kaufman

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



City and County of San Francisco

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Resolution

File Number: 981508

Date Passed:

Resolution establishing an advisory task force to evaluate the impact and benefits of living wage proposals on San Francisco's economy, businesses, non-profit organizations and residents and setting forth the membership and duties of the task force (Living Wage Task Force).

November 23, 1998 Board of Supervisors — AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE

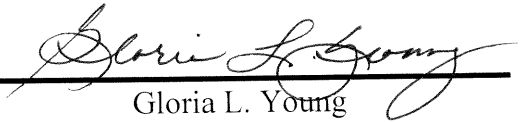
Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Medina, Newsom, Teng, Yaki, Yee

November 23, 1998 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED AS AMENDED

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

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution
was **ADOPTED AS AMENDED** on
November 23, 1998 by the Board of
Supervisors of the City and County of San
Francisco.



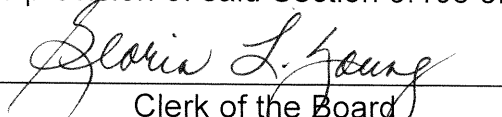
Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

Date: December 7, 1998

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor
within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the charter, became effective
without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the
charter.



Clerk of the Board

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