[Bicycle Reimbursement and Purchasing]

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REIMBURSEMENT FOR USE OF PRIVATELY OWNED BICYCLES BY CITY EMPLOYEES

AND OFFICIALS AS PART OF THE EMPLOYEES' BENEFITS AND THAT SUCH

REIMBURSEMENT SHOULD BE CONTINGENT UPON THE USE OF BICYCLE HELMETS

AND URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKING AND TRAFFIC TO WORK WITH THE

CITY PURCHASER TO DEVELOP A FEASIBILITY STUDY AND PURCHASING PLAN

REGARDING THE PURCHASE AND MAINTENANCE OF A POOL OF BICYCLES TO BE

USED FOR CITY BUSINESS.

WHEREAS, The City wishes to encourage City employees and

officers to use bicycles for travel in connection with city business

URGING THE MAYOR TO DIRECT THE DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES AS PART OF

FUTURE CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS TO PROPOSE THAT THE CITY SHOULD PROVIDE

WHEREAS, The City currently reimburses City employees for the use of privately owned vehicles, and could adopt similar reimbursement procedures for the use of privately owned bicycles as an incentive to city employees for bicycle use; and

where a privately owned or city owned motor vehicle would otherwise

WHEREAS, The use of bicycle helmets decreases the risk of injury; and

WHEREAS, The City could purchase several bicycles for the price of one City automobile; and

WHEREAS, A City bicycle pool would facilitate increased use of bicycles by City employees; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Mayor to direct the Director of Human Resources, as part of future contract negotiations, to propose that the City should provide reimbursement for use of privately owned bicycles by City employees and officials as part of the employees' benefits and that such reimbursement should be contingent upon the use of bicycle helmets; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Department of Parking and Traffic to work with the City Purchaser to develop a feasibility study and purchasing plan regarding the purchase and maintenance of a pool of bicycles to be used for City business.

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Resolution urging the Mayor to direct the Director of Human Resources as part of future contract negotiations to propose that the City should provide reimbursement for use of privately owned bicycles by City employees and officials as part of the employees' benefits and that such reimbursement should be contingent upon the use of bicycle helmets and urging the Department of Parking and Traffic to work with the City Purchaser to develop a feasibility study and purchasing plan regarding the purchase and maintenance of a pool of bicycles to be used for City business.

October 26, 1998 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

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 on October 26, 1998 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young

Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.