

1 [Committee of the Whole - Receive Public Comment on Possible Nominations and Open
2 Election of Board President]

3 **Motion scheduling the Board of Supervisors to sit as a Committee of the Whole on**
4 **November 18, 2014, for the purpose of receiving public comment on nominations and**
5 **to open the election for the Office of Board President, in the event a vacancy occurs, to**
6 **fill the unexpired portion of the term ending January 8, 2015, at 12:00 p.m.**

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8 WHEREAS, The current term for the Office of Board President ends on January 8,
9 2015, at 12:00 p.m.; and

10 WHEREAS, The current Board President David Chiu, recently elected to the State
11 Assembly on November 4, 2014, may be sworn in to the new office as early as December 1,
12 2014, at 12:00 p.m., at which time the Office of Board President would become vacant by
13 operation of law; and

14 WHEREAS, Pursuant to Charter, Section 2.116, and the Rules of Order for the Board
15 of Supervisors, Section 6.1.1, if a vacancy in the Office of Board President occurs prior to the
16 end of the term, the Board shall by majority vote, elect one of its members to fill the unexpired
17 portion of the term; and

18 WHEREAS, At the time designated for the election of a Board President, the presiding
19 officer shall entertain nominations from the Supervisors for the position of President and the
20 Clerk of the Board shall call the roll of Supervisors until a nominee receives a majority vote
21 and a President is elected; and

22 WHEREAS, The Board may elect a new President in advance of the vacancy, and if
23 the Board chooses to do so, the elected Supervisor would assume the Office of President
24 upon Supervisor Chiu's resignation as a Supervisor and would serve as President until the
25 expiration of the term at 12:00 p.m. on January 8, 2015; now, therefore, be it

1 MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco does
2 hereby convene a Committee of the Whole to receive public comment on possible
3 nominations and to open the election for the Office of Board President, in the event a
4 vacancy occurs, for the unexpired portion of the term ending January 8, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

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