

1 [Response to the Partial Federal Government Shutdown]

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3 **Resolution responding to the partial federal government shutdown, affirming San**  
4 **Francisco's solidarity with federal workers, and urging the Mayor and city departments**  
5 **to assist those impacted by the shutdown.**  
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7 WHEREAS, The Trump Administration's insistence on securing funding for an immoral  
8 and ineffective border wall led to a partial government shutdown from December 22, 2018 to  
9 January 25, 2019; and

10 WHEREAS, The partial federal government shutdown forced hundreds, possibly  
11 thousands, of San Franciscans and 800,000 employees across the nation to go weeks without  
12 pay; and

13 WHEREAS, San Francisco is home to a large federal workforce and departments  
14 including but not limited to 1) the Environmental Protection Agency; 2) US Department of  
15 Justice; 3) UD Department of Transportation; 4) US Department of Labor; 5) US Coast Guard  
16 Sector, San Francisco; 6) US Department of Health and Human Services; and

17 WHEREAS, Other cities throughout the United States took bold and swift action during  
18 the 2018-19 Federal Shutdown by assisting federal workers with payments for utilities,  
19 mortgages, public transportation, and providing an ombudsman to help with city-provided  
20 rental assistance, utilities, and food; and

21 WHEREAS, San Francisco has a long history and proud legacy of leading the fight for  
22 and championing workers' rights; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors stands in solidarity with  
24 federal workers affected by the Trump Administration's selfish actions and divisive political  
25 rhetoric and condemns the federal government shutdown; and be it

1           FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Mayor and city  
2 departments to take immediate action to provide an assistance plan for federal employees  
3 impacted by future government shutdowns which may include 1) providing free municipal  
4 transportation; 2) urging regional transit bodies including BART and CalTrain to provide free  
5 transportation; 3) allowing for deferred payments on city services and fees including utilities,  
6 health care, and parking tickets; 4) providing emergency loans, rental subsidies, and  
7 mortgage assistance; 5) providing access to food assistance programs; and 6) short-term  
8 work placements.



# City and County of San Francisco

## Tails Resolution

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1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

**File Number:** 190075

**Date Passed:** February 26, 2019

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February 07, 2019 Government Audit and Oversight Committee - RECOMMENDED

February 26, 2019 Board of Supervisors - AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE

Ayes: 11 - Brown, Fewer, Haney, Mandelman, Mar, Peskin, Ronen, Safai, Stefani, Walton and Yee

February 26, 2019 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED AS AMENDED

Ayes: 11 - Brown, Fewer, Haney, Mandelman, Mar, Peskin, Ronen, Safai, Stefani, Walton and Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Resolution was **ADOPTED AS AMENDED**  
on 2/26/2019 by the Board of Supervisors  
of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

Unsigned

London N. Breed  
Mayor

3/8/19

Date Approved

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, or time waived pursuant to Board Rule 2.14.2, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter or Board Rule 2.14.2.

Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

3/8/19

Date