[Accept-Expend Federal Grant Funds.]

Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works to retroactively accept and expend a grant in the amount of \$1,475,675 from the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance Edward Byrne Memorial Discretionary Grants Program.

WHEREAS, The Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2008 (Public Law 110-161) earmarked funds from the Edward Byrne Memorial Discretionary Grants Program to help local communities improve the capacity of local justice systems and provide for national support efforts; and

WHEREAS, The Act identified projects to be reviewed by the U.S. Department of Justice (USDOJ) Office of Justice Programs' Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) for consistency with law and Congressional intent; and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco was awarded a grant in the amount of \$1,475,675 for the Forensic Sciences Center project which aims to consolidate and relocate the Office of Chief Medical Examiner (OCME) and the San Francisco Police Department Forensic Services Division (SFPD FSD); and

WHEREAS, The SFPD FSD and OCME relocation project was included in the 10 year capital plan approved by the Board of Supervisors on April 15, 2008, File No. 080333; and

WHEREAS, The Edward Byrne Memorial Discretionary Grant will provide funds for the planning and design of the new Forensic Sciences Center; and

WHEREAS, The grant award period began on August 1, 2008 and expenditures after this date are eligible for reimbursement; and

WHEREAS, The grant does not require an ASO amendment; and,

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WHEREAS, The grant terms prohibit the inclusion of indirect costs in the grant budget; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That this Board of Supervisors authorizes the Director of Public Works or his or her designee to retroactively accept and expend these grant funds and any continued funding for this project from the USDOJ, BJA; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Director of Public Works is authorized to execute on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco the necessary Grant Agreement for this project including any extensions, funding augmentations from the USDOJ/BJA, or amendments thereof; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That it is agreed that any liability arising out of performance of this Grant Agreement, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the authorizing agency; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant expenditure controlled by the Board of Supervisors.

Recommended:

Edward Reiskin

Director of Public Works

Approved:

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March 31, 2009 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Mar, Maxwell, Mirkarimi

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on March 31, 2009 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

4/8/09

Date Approved

Mayor Gavin Newsom

Clerk of the