1	[Donation of Retired Ambulance to City College of San Francisco]
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3	Resolution authorizing the Fire Department to donate a retired ambulance to the City
4	College of San Francisco's Emergency Medical Services Academy.
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6	WHEREAS, City College of San Francisco is a leading educational institution for
7	Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Program and teaches those who wish to be future
8	Emergency Medical Technicians or Paramedics; and
9	WHEREAS, A large part of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) training focuses on
10	manipulative skills, and the best way to learn those skills is to practice on genuine equipment;
11	and
12	WHEREAS, EMS equipment is expensive and difficult to obtain; and
13	WHEREAS, Vehicle 145-755, a 2003 Ford E-450 Ambulance (the "Ambulance"), has
14	been retired from service by the San Francisco Fire Department (the "Department") even as a
15	relief piece and has been identified for the purposes of this donation; and
16	WHEREAS, The Department has determined that the Ambulance is surplus to the
17	needs of the Department, and is appropriate for donation for educational purposes to the EMS
18	Academy at City College; and
19	WHEREAS, The Ambulance would serve as a teaching tool for patient assessment,
20	loading and treatment and City College would benefit from an actual ambulance on which to
21	train its students; and
22	WHEREAS, On October 9, 2019, the Fire Commission adopted Resolution
23	No. 2019-06, recommending that the Board of Supervisors approve the donation of the
24	Ambulance to City College; and
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1	WHEREAS, The Fire Commission Resolution is on file with the Clerk of the Board of
2	Supervisors in File No. 191139, which is hereby declared to be a part of this resolution as if
3	set forth fully herein; and
4	WHEREAS, Chapter 21 of the Administrative Code allows for commodities that have
5	been declared as surplus to be disposed of in a manner that will best serve the interests of the
6	City, including the City's interest in maximizing the re-use of surplus commodities by public
7	entities, non-profit organizations and schools; and
8	WHEREAS, City College's EMS Academy at its John Adams campus is a program
9	designed to assist students in health sciences as well as expose EMS training and career
10	opportunities to students; and
11	WHEREAS, The Ambulance would be used by City College's EMS Academy for
12	instructional purposes only, and will not be operated, driven or used for actual patient care;
13	now, therefore, be it
14	RESOLVED, That the Department is authorized to donate the Ambulance to City
15	College's EMS Academy.
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19	Recommended:
20	/s/
21	Jeanine Nicholson
22	Chief of Department
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