

1 [Accept and Expend In-Kind Gift - Consulting Services - Google, Inc. - \$750,000]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Department of Technology to accept an in-kind gift of**  
4 **consulting services from Google, Inc., for a term of six months to commence upon**  
5 **Board approval, valued at \$750,000.**  
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7 WHEREAS, The Office of Civic Innovation (OCI) at the Department of Technology  
8 matches pro bono private sector talent with departments of the City and County of San  
9 Francisco ("City") to address specific policy or operational challenges facing those  
10 departments; and

11 WHEREAS, Under OCI's Civic Bridge program, departments identify service needs  
12 that could benefit from innovative solutions and private companies, non-profit organizations  
13 and individuals offer to donate consulting services to help departments on these needs; and

14 WHEREAS, The Civic Bridge program sought assistance for a project to assist the  
15 Planning Department and Department of Building Inspection in analyzing the City's pre-  
16 approval, permitting, and development processes to identify ways to accelerate the production  
17 of housing in San Francisco; and

18 WHEREAS, Google, Inc. (the Partner) will offer its consulting services free of charge  
19 in order to help identify and recommend business process improvements to accelerate the  
20 production of housing in San Francisco; and

21 WHEREAS, The Partner has agreed to pilot a project that will be of longer duration and  
22 require a greater commitment of staff time than past Civic Bridge projects; and

23 WHEREAS, Google, Inc. will provide consulting services as part of the Civic Bridge  
24 project free of charge as an in-kind gift to the City; and  
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1           WHEREAS, The Donor Agreement with the Partner to provide consulting services on a  
2 volunteer basis to the City for a term of six months is on file with the Clerk of the Board of  
3 Supervisors in File No. 191186; and

4           WHEREAS, The consulting services are valued at a total of \$750,000; and

5           WHEREAS, The gifts do not require amendments to the Annual Salary Ordinance;  
6 now, therefore, be it

7           RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors approves the in-kind gifts valued at  
8 \$750,000, and hereby authorizes, through the Department of Technology Office of Civic  
9 Innovation to accept the in-kind gift of consulting services described above, substantially in  
10 the form of the donor agreements on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, in File No.  
11 191186, with such changes or modifications, as may be acceptable to the Director of the  
12 Department of Technology and the City Attorney and which do not materially increase the  
13 obligations and liabilities of the City or reduce the services to the City.

1 Recommended: Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
2 London N. Breed  
3 \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor  
4 Linda Gerull Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
5 Chief Information Officer Ben Rosenfield  
6 Executive Director, Department of Technology Controller  
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