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1	[Urging Congress to Support \$100 Billion Relief Funding for Child Care in the Next COVID-19 Relief Package]
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3	Resolution urging Congress to support the Federal House of Representatives
4	recommendation supporting \$100 billion to aid in the relief, recovery, and revitalization
5	of the child care sector in the wake of the coronavirus pandemic, authored by
6	Congresswoman Katherine Clark, Congressmembers Jahana Hayes, Jimmy Panneta,
7	Suzanne Bonamici, Danny Davis, and Tom Malinowski, and signed by 84 House
8	Congress members.
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10	WHEREAS, Historically, the early education and child care sector has been
11	undervalued and underfunded; and
12	WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco is home to almost 78,000 children,
13	with only 23,000 children age 0-11 qualify for subsidized early care and education; and
14	WHEREAS, The current funding for San Francisco only covers 38 percent of children,
15	age 0-11, who are income eligible for subsidies, leaving over 14,000 children in need; and
16	WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco continues to have a significant
17	unmet need for additional licensed slots and subsidized spaces; and
18	WHEREAS, The COVID-19 pandemic has devastated and significantly impacted early
19	education and child care operating in centers and home based programs; and
20	WHEREAS, This has caused additional financial burden to providers and families due
21	to layoffs and mandatory closures; and
22	WHEREAS, The Bipartisan Policy Center found that the impact of COVID-19 has led to
23	the closure of 60 percent of licensed child care facilities; and
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Supervisors Yee; Safai, Fewer, Peskin, Mandelman, Stefani, Walton **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

1	WHEREAS, The National Association for the Education of Young Children revealed
2	that only 11 percent of the country's child care providers would survive without government
3	aid; and
4	WHEREAS, The Center for Law and Social Policy estimated that the child care and
5	early education industry requires at least \$9.6 billion each month to sustain the viability of
6	providers; and
7	WHEREAS, On May 6, 2020, 84 Congress members called for the federal government
8	to invest \$50 billion in the form of short-term stabilization funding and an additional \$50 billion
9	in long-term recovery funding to aid students, families, and providers; and
10	WHEREAS, The short-term stabilization funding would support essential frontline
11	workers, and prioritize keeping providers operational, especially providers that serve the most
12	marginalized children and families in our communities; and
13	WHEREAS, Congress members are proposing to make child care and early education
14	more accessible after the pandemic by providing aid for families and investing in providers,
15	early childhood educators, and Head Start; and
16	WHEREAS, Child care and early childhood education have become more inaccessible
17	and unaffordable due to the increasing economic impact of COVID-19; and
18	WHEREAS, These investments are holistic and include support for providers, facilities,
19	families, and the early education workforce including making the Child and Dependent Care
20	Tax Credit refundable, reauthorizing the Child Care Access Means Parents in School
21	(CCAMPIS) program to provide more child care support to student parents, support both the
22	renovation and new construction of child care facilities, an early childhood educators student
23	loan repayment program, and increase in technology supports and child mental health
24	consultations; and

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1	WHEREAS, Now more than ever, we must provide support to families that need
2	access to child care and early education services, especially parents who are frontline
3	workers; now, therefore, be it
4	RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San
5	Francisco supports the proposal of congress members to invest \$100 billion in child care and
6	early education to help sustain accessible, affordable, and quality child care and early
7	education services during and after the pandemic; and, be it
8	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors urge the
9	federal government to invest in workforce development and provide aid to current providers
10	and educators; and, be it
11	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors directs the Clerk of the Board
12	to transmit copies of this Resolution to Congresswoman Katherine Clark, Congressmembers
13	Jahana Hayes, Jimmy Panetta, Suzanne Bonamici, Danny Davis, and Tom Malinowski,
14	Speaker Nancy Pelosi, Chairmen of the Education and Labor Committee Congressman
15	Bobby Scott, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education Chai
16	Congressman Gregorio Kilili Camacho Sablan, and the House Democratic Caucus.
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Introduction Form

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or Mayor

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or meeting date I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one): 1. For reference to Committee. (An Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or Charter Amendment). ✓ 2. Request for next printed agenda Without Reference to Committee. 3. Request for hearing on a subject matter at Committee. 4. Request for letter beginning: "Supervisor inquiries" 5. City Attorney Request. 6. Call File No. from Committee. 7. Budget Analyst request (attached written motion). 8. Substitute Legislation File No. 9. Reactivate File No. 10. Topic submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the BOS on Please check the appropriate boxes. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following: Small Business Commission ☐ Youth Commission Ethics Commission Building Inspection Commission Planning Commission Note: For the Imperative Agenda (a resolution not on the printed agenda), use the Imperative Form. Sponsor(s): Yee, Safai, Fewer, Peskin, Madelman, Stefani, Walton Subject: Urging Congress to Support \$100 Billion Relief Funding for Child Care in the next COVID-19 relief package The text is listed: Resolution urging Congress to support the Federal House of Representatives recommendation supporting \$100 billion to aid in the relief, recovery and revitalization of the child care sector in the wake of the coronavirus pandemic, authored by Congresswoman Katherine Clark, Congressmembers Jahana Hayes, Jimmy Panneta, Suzanne Bonamici, Danny Davis, Tom Malinowski and signed by 84 House Congress members. Signature of Sponsoring Supervisor: /s/Norman Yee

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