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President Shamann Walton San Francisco Board of Supervisors 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 282 San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Dear President Walton,

On September 22, 2020, the Budget and Appropriation Ordinance (File No. 200567) was amended to place \$840,000 for new trash can design and deployment on Full Board of Supervisors Reserve in Fiscal Year 2020-21 and Fiscal Year 2021-22.

Public Works would like to request the release of \$537,000 of that funding to complete detailed design of the new can options and move forward into the prototyping phase.

The department has been working with an industrial designer to develop a can that is durable, tamper-resistant, easy to service and aesthetically pleasing. The final conceptual designs have been approved by Civic Design Review. If the funding is released, Public Works will complete detailed design schematics and manufacture 15 prototype cans for field testing.

We would like to request a Committee of the Whole to consider this request. We look forward to discussing this matter with the Board. Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

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