

1 [Prevention of closure of the San Francisco General Hospital Renal Center.]

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3 **Resolution seeking to prevent closure of the San Francisco General Hospital Renal**
4 **Center.**

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6 WHEREAS, The University of California at San Francisco (UCSF) is in the process of
7 opening a \$400 million research facility; and

8 WHEREAS, The School of Medicine at UCSF is currently receiving a \$4.5 million-a-
9 year grant over the next five years; and

10 WHEREAS, UCSF intends to close the San Francisco General Hospital Renal Center
11 citing budget deficits; and

12 WHEREAS, The closure of the Renal Center would force predominantly African-
13 American patients from the Bayview/Hunters Point District to use Emergency Services for
14 dialysis at great expense to the City of San Francisco; and

15 WHEREAS, The closure of the San Francisco General Hospital Renal Center
16 contradicts the UCSF Mission Statement; and

17 WHEREAS, The closure of the Renal Center would cost the jobs of some forty
18 University employees; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
20 strongly opposes the closure of the SFGH Renal Center; and, be it

21 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors opposes any reduction of
22 services and staff; and, be it

23 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Regents of the
24 University of California to refrain from closing the San Francisco General Hospital Renal
25 Center.



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May 28, 2002 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick,
Newsom, Peskin, Sandoval, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution
was ADOPTED on May 28, 2002 by the
Board of Supervisors of the City and County
of San Francisco.

Madeleine Licavoli
Acting Clerk of the Board

Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

Date: June 7, 2002

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor
within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the Charter, became effective
without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the
Charter.

Clerk of the Board

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