FILE NO. 081072

RESOLUTION NO. 470-08

[Resolution authorizing the Sheriff to execute contracts with the State and accept and expend funds associated with a Secure Reentry Program Facility.]

Resolution authorizing the Sheriff's Department to execute contracts with the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) and accept and expend funds associated with the contracts. The purpose of the contract is to establish a pilot San Francisco County Secure Reentry Program Facility (SRPF) that will provide up to 12 months of intensive, in-custody evidence based reentry programming which will address the offender's underlying employment, mental health and substance abuse issues. This will be followed by 12 months of accountability based out-of-custody reentry programming.

WHEREAS, Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger signed into law AB900, the Public Safety and Offender Rehabilitation Services Act of 2007; and,

WHEREAS, The legislation fundamentally improves the corrections system and introduces a model where smaller facilities and stronger rehabilitation programs prepare offenders for life outside prison; and,

WHEREAS, The California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) seeks to enter into contract with San Francisco County for the purpose of developing a collaborative approach designed to reduce recidivism among San Francisco's offender population and enhance public safety; and,

WHEREAS, The San Francisco County Sheriff's Office, the San Francisco District Attorney and CDCR, are committed to a collaborative approach to the problem of recidivism, by combining the expertise of local government, law enforcement and local community services organizations in order to provide a seamless transition from inmate to parolee. A team approach to preparing a parolee to succeed in the community will enhance public safety and enhance the parolee's chances of remaining crime free in the community; and,

SHERIFF, Supervisor Mirkarimi, Dufty BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WHEREAS, the City and County of San Francisco Sheriff's Department is the agency charged with the care and confinement of arrested persons for the City and County of San Francisco; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco County Sheriff, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute any contracts with the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation and accept and expend any funds associated with these contracts for the purpose of care and confinement of State inmates in a Secure Reentry Program Facility (SRPF). Said contracts are authorized for a minimum of two years duration effective upon signature of the San Francisco County Sheriff, or his designee.

Recommended:

MICHAEL HENNESSEY, Sheriff City & County of San Francisco

SHERIFF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



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November 4, 2008 Board of Supervisors --- ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on November 4, 2008 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

(U) Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board Aayor Gavin Newsom

Date Approved