

1 [Supporting Reauthorization of San Francisco Unified School District's Mello-Roos Community  
2 Facilities District on the June 8, 2010, Ballot]

3 **Resolution supporting the San Francisco Unified School District's proposal to**  
4 **reauthorize its Mello-Roos Community Facilities District Assessment on the June 8,**  
5 **2010, Ballot.**

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7 WHEREAS, A Mello-Roos Community Facilities District (CFD) was authorized by  
8 voters in 1990 to keep schools safe after the Loma Prieta earthquake, and 20 years later, the  
9 Mello-Roos assessment is set to expire this year; and

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11 WHEREAS, Every year, the CFD has generated approximately \$6.9 million dollars to  
12 support earthquake, fire and life safety infrastructure in San Francisco's 150 public school  
13 buildings, as well as necessary school maintenance and repairs for San Francisco  
14 classrooms; and,

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16 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Unified School District is pursuing a renewal of the  
17 Mello-Roos CFD this year, in order to keep San Francisco schools fire and earthquake safe,  
18 with funds to help with seismic strengthening, fire and life-safety, including fire alarm systems,  
19 fire sprinklers, and paths of exiting, and

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21 WHEREAS, The School District is proposing to renew the Mello-Roos CFD for a term  
22 of another 20 years, which will not increase San Franciscans' property taxes, and which will  
23 also allow for seniors over the age of 65 to apply for an exemption from this special tax, and

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25 WHEREAS, San Francisco schools are facing a massive budget cuts from the state,  
which recently required SFUSD to issue nearly 900 pink slips to teachers and administrators;  
and,

1           WHEREAS, The proposed reauthorization of the Mello-Roos CFD will not solve  
2 SFUSD's funding problems, it will help keep San Francisco schools safe, and ensure that  
3 SFUSD does not incur an even larger budget shortfall and suffer even greater cuts at the  
4 expense of mandatory earthquake and fire safety work, now, therefore, be it

5           RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors supports the efforts of the  
6 San Francisco Unified School District to pursue reauthorization of its Mello-Roos Community  
7 Facilities District at the June 2010 ballot.

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March 23, 2010 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Mar, Maxwell and Mirkarimi

Excused: 1 - Alioto-Pier

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 3/23/2010 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

Mayor Gavin Newsom

4/02/2010

Date Approved