

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Ten and Under Tennis - \$30,300]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department (RPD) to**  
4 **retroactively accept and expend an in-kind grant from the United States Tennis**  
5 **Association (USTA) NorCAL, valued at \$30,300 to equip and line 71 tennis courts city-**  
6 **wide for Ten and Under Tennis.**

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8 WHEREAS, USTA NorCAL is one of the 17 sections of the United States Tennis  
9 Association (USTA), the governing body for the sport of tennis and the recognized leader in  
10 promoting and developing the sport's growth in the United States; and

11 WHEREAS, On September 7, 2010, the USTA passed new criteria governing  
12 competition for Ten and Under Tennis (TAUT) tournaments; and

13 WHEREAS, The new criteria requires that all USTA TAUT tournaments be played  
14 using lighter, slower-moving and lower-bouncing balls, smaller and lighter racquets, and  
15 smaller courts; and

16 WHEREAS, The game of tennis is following the formula that the majority of youth  
17 sports have used for years – tailoring equipment and courts to a child's size and age so that  
18 they develop skills and have fun right from the start; and

19 WHEREAS, These changes are significant as they will make it easier for more children  
20 to acquire skills and enjoyment early, encouraging them to continue with the sport; and

21 WHEREAS, In addition to the USTA, the criteria change is supported by the  
22 International Tennis Federation, the Tennis Industry Association, and teaching professionals  
23 across the country; and

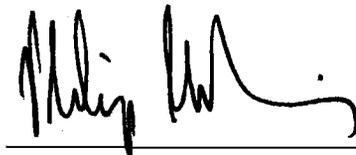
24 WHEREAS, USTA NorCAL has generously supported RPD with an in-kind grant to  
25 equip and line 71 tennis courts at 21 locations city-wide for Ten and Under Tennis; and

1           WHEREAS, The Recreation and Park Commission recommends that the San  
2 Francisco Board of Supervisors retroactively accept and expend the grant, valued at \$30,300;  
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4           WHEREAS, The City recognizes the generosity USTA NorCAL with sincere  
5 appreciation; now, therefore, be it

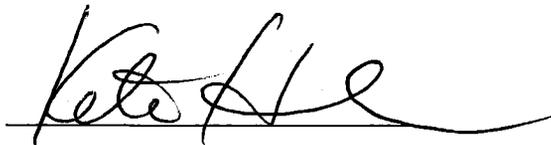
6           RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors approves the grant and authorizes the  
7 Recreation and Park Department General Manager to retroactively accept and expend the in-  
8 kind grant, valued at \$30,300, from USTA NorCAL to equip and line 71 tennis courts for 10  
9 and Under Tennis.

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11 Recommended:

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15 General Manager, Recreation and Park Department

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17 Approved:

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22 Mayor

23 Controller



**City and County of San Francisco**  
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**Resolution**

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Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department to retroactively accept and expend an in-kind grant from the United States Tennis Association (USTA) NorCAL, valued at \$30,300 to equip and line 71 tennis courts city-wide for Ten and Under Tennis.

June 19, 2012 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Cohen, Elsbernd, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Olague and Wiener

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I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Resolution was ADOPTED on 6/19/2012 by  
the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
County of San Francisco.

  
Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

  
Mayor

  
Date Approved