[Accept and Expend Grant - Crocker Amazon Gardener - \$39,884]

Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department to retroactively accept and expend a grant of \$39,884 from Sacred Heart Cathedral Preparatory to support a half-time gardener at Crocker Amazon Field.

WHEREAS, Sacred Heart Cathedral Preparatory (SHCP) is a non-profit, private high school located in San Francisco's Civic Center neighborhood that uses Crocker Amazon Field, through standard Recreation and Park Department permitting processes, for its athletics programs; and

WHEREAS, Crocker Amazon Field had fallen into a state of disrepair in large part due to prevalent gophers; and

WHEREAS, Due to the Recreation and Park Department's recent budget crisis, it could not dedicate the resources necessary to improve the condition of the field; and

WHEREAS, In 2010, SHCP donated the funds needed to renovate the field; and WHEREAS, In 2010, SHCP also donated the funds needed to maintain the condition of the field by donating the funds necessary to support a half-time gardener; and

WHEREAS, Due to a satisfactory working relationship on both side, SHCP would like to renew its support of a half-time gardener's salary; and

WHEREAS, SHCP will pay the half-time gardener's salary each month, in arrears, starting on November 1, 2011 and concluding on October 1, 2012; and

WHEREAS, SHCP understands that the Recreation and Park Department cannot give priority use or preferential treatment in return for this grant; and

WHEREAS, SHCP will have the right to stop monthly payments to the Recreation and Park Department if it feels that the field is not being maintained to an acceptable standard

mutually agreed upon by both parties; and

WHEREAS, SHCP will pay all necessary rental fees for weekend use; and

WHEREAS, The Recreation and Park Commission recommends that the San

Francisco Board of Supervisors retroactively accept and expend the grant of \$39,884; and

WHEREAS, The City recognizes the generosity of Sacred Heart Cathedral Preparatory with sincere appreciation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors approves the grant and authorizes the Recreation and Park Department General Manager to retroactively accept and expend the grant of \$39,884 from Sacred Heart Cathedral Preparatory in support of a half-time gardener at Crocker Amazon Field.

Recommended:

General Manager, Recreation and Park Department

Approved:

Mayor

Controller

Recreation and Park Department BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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June 26, 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 6/26/2012 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Clerk of the Board

Date Approved