

1 [Centralized Intake Homeless Management Information System.]

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3 **Resolution urging the Mayor's Office of Homelessness to explore the possibility of**
4 **creating and implementing a centralized intake homeless management information**
5 **system.**

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7 WHEREAS, There are currently twenty-two identified homeless service providers
8 within the City and County of San Francisco; and,

9 WHEREAS, There is currently no centralized management information system that can
10 provide the necessary information to assess the true quantity and, most importantly, the true
11 quality of the homeless services provided by these twenty-two providers; and,

12 WHEREAS, A centralized intake homeless management information system that would
13 link together the many service providers could prove to be beneficial in this effort; and,

14 WHEREAS, Beginning in 2004, all homeless service providers that receive HUD SHP
15 McKinney funding will be required to have such a management information system; and,

16 WHEREAS, The computerized data collection system offered by a management
17 information system could capture system wide information over time about the characteristics
18 and service needs of men, women, and children who experience homelessness in San
19 Francisco; and,

20 WHEREAS, A management information system could also improve and expand upon
21 already existing data, protocols and procedures to coordinate service systems, streamline
22 referral processes, enhance service delivery, simplify reporting, and provide much needed
23 information for policy making; and,

24 WHEREAS, This computerized system could collect various types of reliable data that
25 could very much benefit policy makers, including the following: unduplicated counts, length of

1 stay in shelters, demographic characteristic, income level and sources, benefit utilization and
2 history, educational status and history, employment status and history, residential history, and
3 geographic location of last residence; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Mayor's Office of Homelessness
5 to explore the possibility of creating and implementing a centralized intake homeless
6 management information system.

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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 February 4, 2002 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.