Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Port Commission to accept and expend a federal grant in the amount of $450,000.00 from the Federal Transportation Security Administration to enhance facility and operational security at the Port’s cargo terminal at Pier 80.

WHEREAS, seaport security remains a priority on federal, state and local levels; and,

WHEREAS, the Port of San Francisco manages 7½ miles of diverse harbor facilities, which provide critical maritime, commercial, and transportation services for the City and County of San Francisco and the greater Bay Area region; and,

WHEREAS, the Port’s diverse facilities present unique and important security needs and responsibilities; and,

WHEREAS, Recognizing these needs and responsibilities, the Port of San Francisco participates in a regional Port Security Committee for the purpose of reviewing security issues and needs affecting the San Francisco Bay Area ports and terminals; and,

WHEREAS, On February 28, 2002, United States Secretary of Transportation, Norman Mineta, announced a new Port Security Grants Program, under the Department of Transportation, Maritime Administration, as agent for Transportation Security Administration, to finance security assessments and mitigation strategies for local ports; and,

WHEREAS, Under the Port Security Grants Program, the Transportation Security Administration awarded the Port of San Francisco an initial grant of $500,000 to conduct...
a comprehensive security assessment of the Port's facilities, and on June 24, 2003, a
further grant of $3,475,000, to enhance facility and operational security at the Port's
cruise, ferry and cargo facilities as specified by the grants program; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors authorized the Port to accept and expend
these funds previously awarded under the Ports Security Grants Program, pursuant to
Board of Supervisors' Resolution Nos. 778-02 and 563-03, adopted on November 12,
2002, and September 30, 2003, respectively; and,

WHEREAS, On July 21, 2003, the Transportation Security Administration
announced a third round in the Port Security Grants Program, under which the Port
submitted an application for funds to enhance security at the Port's cargo terminal at
Pier 80; and,

WHEREAS, On December 10, 2003, the Transportation Security Administration
announced that the Port of San Francisco qualified for a third round grant in the
amount of $450,000, for security enhancements at the Pier 80 cargo terminal under the
Port Security Grants Program; and,

WHEREAS, The Port of San Francisco's use of these grant funds will assist the
Port in complying with security regulations mandated by the United States Coast
Guard; and,

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Port Commission, by Resolution No. 04-12
dated February 10, 2004, authorized the Port's Executive Director to accept and
expend $450,000 in grant funds awarded to the Port of San Francisco under the
Transportation Security Administration, Port Security Grants Program, Round 3, for
enhanced facility and operational security at the Pier 80 cargo terminal; and,

WHEREAS, The Department proposes to maximize use of available grant funds
on project expenditures by not including indirect costs in the grant budget; and,
WHEREAS, The San Francisco Port Commission now seeks the approval of the Board of Supervisors to accept and expend $450,000 in funds from the United States Transportation Security Administration under its Port Security Grants Program, Round 3, for the purpose of enhancing facility and operational security at the Port’s cargo terminal at Pier 80 as specified by the grants program; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That this Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the San Francisco Port Commission to apply for, accept, and expend $450,000 in funds from the United States Transportation Security Administration under its Port Security Grants Program, Round 3, for the purpose of enhancing facility and operational security at the Port’s cargo terminal at Pier 80 as specified by the grants program; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That this Board of Supervisors hereby waives inclusion of indirect costs in the grant budget.

RECOMMENDED: 

PORT OF SAN FRANCISCO

DOUGLAS WONG
Executive Director

APPROVED:

GAVIN NEWSOM
Mayor

EDWARD HARRINGTON
Controller

Supervisor Michela Alioto-Pier
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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March 30, 2004 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED
Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Gonzalez, Hall, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin, Sandoval

File No. 040374

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on March 30, 2004 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 Gavin Newsom