Resolution approving the 2012 Grant Application for the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development Continuum of Care Program and fulfilling the San Francisco Board of Supervisors review and approval process for all annual or otherwise recurring grants of $5,000,000 or more.

WHEREAS, Under the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) 2012 Continuum of Care grant application, the City and County of San Francisco and eligible nonprofit entities are eligible to submit funding applications for $23,572,280 to assist homeless people; and

WHEREAS, During the San Francisco 2011 Continuum of Care competition, San Francisco and its nonprofit partners were awarded $19,743,334 and the San Francisco Continuum of Care application was awarded the highest score in the nation; and

WHEREAS, It is expected that HUD will require submission of a new Continuum of Care application in mid-December 2012; and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Local Homeless Coordinating Board (LHCB) serves as the lead entity that oversees the Continuum of Care process and programs, including the creation of program priorities, funding categories, and application guidelines, and scoring tools; and

WHEREAS, The LHCB expects to submit the consolidated application for approximately $23,572,280, of which an amount greater than $5,000,000 will pass through the Department of Human Services; and

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WHEREAS, The LHCB has been meeting regularly to better understand the Continuum of Care process and programs, including receiving community input and participation in the development of program priorities, application scoring criteria, and application guidelines and process; and

WHEREAS, The LHCB with community input and advice, will approve a 2012 application process, scoring criteria, and funding priorities for the 2012 application; and

WHEREAS, The 2012 application process established funding categories that include Permanent Supportive Housing, Transitional Housing, Safe Haven, and Supportive Services; and

WHEREAS, Under San Francisco Ordinance 265-05, the appropriate City department shall submit a resolution articulating its grant application as well as funding categories to the Board of Supervisors for all annual grant applications of $5,000,000 or more; now, therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Local Homeless Coordinating Board and the Department of Human Services are authorized to submit a 2012 Continuum of Care application; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors will provide a timely review and approval of the 2012 Continuum of Care application with recognition that such application at the time of the Board review and approval will include funding categories and general description of the application.

Recommended:

[Signature]

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Human Services Agency

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December 05, 2012 Budget and Finance Committee - RECOMMENDED

December 11, 2012 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED
   Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Cohen, Elsbernd, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Olague and Wiener

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 12/11/2012 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

Date Approved: 12/18/2012