Resolution retroactively authorizing the Department of Emergency Management, on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco, as the fiscal agent for the Bay Area Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI), to accept and expend an increase to Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 UASI grant funds in the amount of $1,012,500 for a total of $33,012,500 from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security through the California Office of Emergency Services, for the period of September 1, 2020, through May 31, 2023.

WHEREAS, The United States Department of Homeland Security ("DHS"), has several Homeland Security Grant Programs, including the Urban Areas Security Initiative ("UASI") grant; and

WHEREAS, The UASI grant addresses the unique planning, equipment, training, and exercise needs of high-threat, high-density Urban Areas, and assists those areas in building an enhanced and sustainable capacity to prevent, protect against, respond to, and recover from threats and acts of terrorism; and

WHEREAS, DHS distributes UASI grant funds to recipient jurisdictions in California through the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES); and

WHEREAS, The Bay Area UASI Program includes the twelve contiguous Bay Area counties and other governmental entities within those counties, and is governed by an Approval Authority representing the largest cities and counties; and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco serves as the fiscal agent for the Bay Area UASI program, and disburses funds to jurisdictions in the Bay Area pursuant to the direction of the UASI Approval Authority; and
WHEREAS, In FY2020-21, the adopted budget for the FY2020 UASI grant award was $32,000,000; and
WHEREAS, The final amount allocated to the Bay Area UASI in FY2020 is $33,012,500, which is an increase of $1,012,500 over the anticipated amount; and
WHEREAS, San Francisco Administrative Code, Section 10.170.1 requires that an increase in grant awards above $50,000 be approved by the Board of Supervisors; and
WHEREAS, The Bay Area UASI must expend UASI funds by May 31, 2023; and
WHEREAS, The grant does not require an amendment to the Annual Salary Ordinance; and
WHEREAS, The grant does not provide for indirect costs; now, therefore, be it
RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes DEM, on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco, to accept and expend the FY2020 UASI grant increase in the amount of $1,012,500, for a total of $33,012,500; and, be it
FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board authorizes the DEM Executive Director, or the Director's designee, to furnish whatever additional information or assurances that DHS or Cal OES may request in connection with this grant, to execute any and all agreements or other documents, and to take any other steps necessary to accept, distribute and expend the grant funds; and, be it
FURTHER RESOLVED, That the grant does not include any provisions for indirect costs, and indirect costs are hereby waived.
Recommended:  

_/s/________________________________

MARY ELLEN CARROLL, Executive Director  
Department of Emergency Management

Approved:  

_/s/____________________

LONDON N. BREED, Mayor

_/s/____________________

BEN ROSENFIELD, Controller
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July 21, 2021 Budget and Finance Committee - RECOMMENDED

July 27, 2021 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED
Ayes: 11 - Chan, Haney, Mandelman, Mar, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 7/27/2021 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

London N. Breed
Mayor

8/4/21