

1 [Commendation- Drug Abuse Advisory Board.]

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3 **Resolution commending the Drug Abuse Advisory Board for its recent completion of**  
4 **its Fiscal Year 2001-02 Annual Recommendations and Priorities.**

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6 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Drug Abuse Advisory Board (“DAAB”), is comprised of  
7 15 members appointed by the Board of Supervisors to advise on the prevention and treatment  
8 of addiction in the City and County of San Francisco, and represent the diverse cultural,  
9 ethnic, professional, gender, sexual orientation and geographic communities; and,

10 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Drug Abuse Advisory Board (“DAAB”), after extensive  
11 review of research, community needs, community testimony and consideration of gaps in  
12 existing services in the City and County of San Francisco has completed its annual  
13 Recommendations and Priority development and; now, therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, That The City and County of San Francisco Board of Supervisors does  
15 hereby commend the San Francisco Drug Abuse Advisory for its recent completion of its  
16 Fiscal Year 2001-02 Annual Recommendations and Priorities; and, be it

17 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board does hereby adopt the following  
18 Recommendations and Priorities and urges other city departments to do the same:

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- 20 • Urge the city to develop and establish a Central Clearinghouse for Drug Abuse  
21 Services;
  - 22 • Develop and implement Prevention and Intervention Programs for elementary and  
23 middle-school youth, with an emphasis in placing these programs in the San  
24 Francisco Unified School System and to develop a Prevention Task Force funded  
25 through the Community Substance Abuse Services (CSAS) to develop required

1 policies and procedures for Prevention and Intervention Programs for San  
2 Francisco's substance treatment programs;

- 3 • Advocate for Alternative Sentencing for Youth convicted for possession of illegal  
4 substances for personal use in lieu of sentencing them to serve time in the Juvenile  
5 Justice System. The Alternative Sentences should provide a system of care that  
6 address substance abuse treatment, education, and intervention for youth and their  
7 families;
- 8 • Improve San Francisco residents access to substance abuse treatment services,  
9 the DAAB recommends full funding for an additional 1,500 treatment slots. The  
10 DAAB also recommends that these slots be divided into 1,000 residential treatment  
11 slots and 500 outpatient treatment slots;
- 12 • Encourage and work for the alternative mechanisms for the personal use of illegal  
13 substances for non-violent offenders and to develop policies and alternatives that  
14 accent and emphasize personal responsibility and personal accountability. The  
15 focus of such mechanisms will be to change the consequences of the personal use  
16 of illegal substances from punishment to behavioral change that will truly benefit the  
17 person as well as the community in which they live;
- 18 • Provide comprehensive services for women and women with children with particular  
19 emphasis on residential treatment; and
- 20 • Ensure that CSAS's contracted community-based organizations have program  
21 accountability with a process of complaint investigation and the enforcement of  
22 client's rights and for CSAS to provide DAAB with written notification regarding any  
23 actions taken regarding client's grievances. To develop a process where the DAAB  
24 will participate in grievance hearings.



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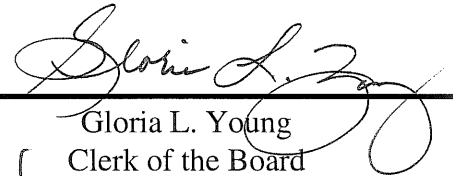
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January 22, 2002 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, McGoldrick, Newsom, Peskin,  
Sandoval, Yee  
Absent: 1 - Maxwell

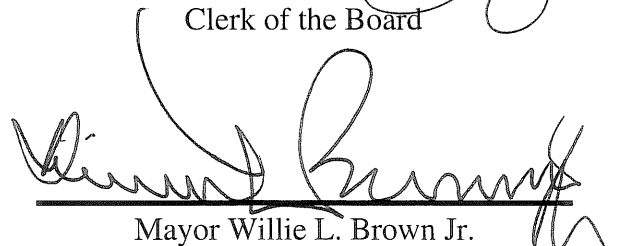
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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on January 22, 2002 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

  
Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

  
Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.