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WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco, in a conscious effort to both better protect its residents and to reduce the large number of homeless companion animals within its borders, has successfully enacted new legislation requiring the surgical sterilization of pit bulls and mixed pit bulls; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco, through its Department of Animal Care and Control which is charged with implementation of the new legislation, does not wish to create any significant financial burden on residents who might be able to afford the costs of surgically sterilizing their animals; and

WHEREAS, Those residents might otherwise be forced to chose between relinquishing a beloved pet or knowingly violate the law, a choice which should not be forced upon any resident: and

WHEREAS, The Peninsula Humane Society & SPCA, through its new auxiliary organization called the San Francisco Bay Humane Friends, has now offered to provide free sterilization of pit bulls and mixed pit bulls dogs by means of a mobile veterinary hospital which is to be routinely deployed within San Francisco, in cooperation with but at no cost to the City and its Department of Animal Care and Control; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors, commends the Peninsula Humane Society & SPCA and its new auxiliary organization, the San Francisco Bay Humane

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Supervisor Dufty **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** Friends for their generosity and enlightened service for and on behalf of the animals and citizens of this community.



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April 11, 2006 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval Excused: 1 - Alioto-Pier

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on April 11, 2006 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

4.20.06

Date Approved

Gloria L. Young Clerk of the Board Mayor GavinNewsom