[Accept and Expend Grant - San Francisco Bridge to Success Program - \$3,000,000]

Resolution authorizing the Department of Children, Youth & Families to retroactively accept and expend grant funding in the amount of \$3,000,000 from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation to fund the San Francisco Bridge to Success Program, a partnership between the City and County of San Francisco, City College of San Francisco, and the San Francisco Unified School District, to double the number of low income youth who earn post-secondary credentials by age 26 for the period of August 13, 2010, through August 31, 2013.

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco was awarded a grant on August 13, 2010 in the amount of \$3,000,000 from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to fund the San Francisco Bridge to Success Program, a partnership between the City and County of San Francisco (the City), City College of San Francisco (CCSF) and the San Francisco Unified School District (SFUSD) to double the number of low income youth who earn post-secondary credentials by age 26; and,

WHEREAS, The Bridge to Success is designed to improve post-secondary completion rates through increased commitment from each partner, the use of data to inform decisions, improving the partnership structure between the partner entities, and implementing policy and practice changes that will enable students graduate high school college ready and graduate college career ready; and,

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco will support these goals through participation in data sharing and joint research opportunities, the existing alignment of

its youth workforce dollars with educational attainment goals, the existing alignment of its afterschool for all and preschool for all dollars with the goals of school readiness and school success, and its continued support of programs that provide financial and programmatic resources that support students college attendance; and,

WHEREAS, City College of San Francisco will support these goals through participation in data sharing and joint research opportunities, participation in joint professional development and curricular alignment work with SFUSD, implementing program and policy changes to improve access for SFUSD students to classes and resources at the college, and improving course sequencing to enable shorter paths to graduation; and,

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Unified School District will support these goals through participation in data sharing and joint research opportunities, participation in joint professional development and curricular alignment work with CCSF, implementing program and policy changes to improve the core curriculum and college going curriculum for high school students, and improving student preparation for the Early Assessment Program test; and,

WHEREAS, The Department of Children, Youth and Their Families will submit all fiscal and programmatic reports to the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation; and,

WHEREAS, The grant terms prohibit including indirect costs in the grant budget; and, WHEREAS, The grant does not require an ASO amendment; now, therefore be it RESOLVED, That the Department of Children, Youth and Their Families is hereby authorized to retroactively accept and expend the grant from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation in the amount of \$3,000,0000 from August 13, 2010 through August 31, 2013.

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March 23, 2011 Budget and Finance Sub-Committee - RECOMMENDED

March 29, 2011 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Cohen, Elsbernd, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Mirkarimi and Wiener

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 3/29/2011 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

> Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board

Mayor Edwin Lee

Date Approved