

1 [Accept and Expend Gift - Retroactive - Bequest from the Estate of Janet D. Kramer - Support  
2 of Laguna Honda Hospital - \$79,231.32]

3 **Resolution retroactively authorizing the Department of Public Health to accept and**  
4 **expend a cash gift in the amount of up to \$79,231.32 from the Estate of Janet D. Kramer**  
5 **through the Federal Reserve in support of the Laguna Honda Hospital for the period of**  
6 **July 1, 2022, through June 30, 2032.**

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8 WHEREAS, Janet D. Kramer was a former employee of the Federal Reserve and  
9 passed away on May 30, 2020; and

10 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Public Administrator's Office notified Laguna Honda  
11 Hospital and Rehabilitation Center (LHH) of Ms. Kramer's passing and that she had named  
12 LHH as beneficiary to her Thrift Plan retirement account (Thrift Plan) with the Federal  
13 Reserve; and

14 WHEREAS, The bequest is held in a Thrift Plan that was transferred to LHH on  
15 February 11, 2021; and

16 WHEREAS, The value of the Thrift Plan as of February 7, 2022, was \$81,065.86 and  
17 continued to fluctuate based on performance of the investments of the Thrift Plan; and

18 WHEREAS, The Estate of Janet D. Kramer (The Estate) has agreed to donate to the  
19 Department of Public Health (DPH) the Thrift Plan totaling \$82,157.26 in support of LHH on  
20 February 11, 2021; and

21 WHEREAS, As a beneficiary of a participant in the Thrift Plan, federal law requires  
22 LHH to receive minimum distributions from the Thrift Plan; and

23 WHEREAS, Gross distributions of \$20,874.15 and \$58,357.17 for a total gross  
24 distribution amount of \$79,231.32 were sent to the Department of Public Health on November  
25 1, 2021, and December 1, 2022, respectively, where total taxes in the amount of \$23,706.19

1 were withheld from the distributions for a total net payment amount of \$55,525.13, and the  
2 account was effectively liquidated with the December 1, 2022 distribution; and

3 WHEREAS, LHH is part of the San Francisco Health Network operated by the  
4 Department of Public Health and is a safety net and community hospital, with a mission to  
5 provide a welcoming, therapeutic, and a healing environment that promotes the individual's  
6 health and well-being; and

7 WHEREAS, The uses of the gift may include but are not limited to, expenditures for  
8 musical entertainment, cultural celebrations, holiday meals, newspaper subscriptions, and  
9 community outings for all Laguna Honda residents; and

10 WHEREAS, On March 1, 2022, the San Francisco Health Commission passed a  
11 Resolution (Health Commission Resolution No. 22-09) recommending that the Board of  
12 Supervisors authorize the Department of Public Health to accept the total value of the Thrift  
13 Plan of Janet D. Kramer upon liquidation and deposit those funds into the Laguna Honda Gift  
14 Fund, and to expend the funds to support resident programs at LHH; and

15 WHEREAS, The accept and expend was not done timely; and

16 WHEREAS, Annual reporting to the Board of Supervisors was not made per San  
17 Francisco Administrative Code, Section 10.100-305; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors approves the bequest of cash, and  
19 authorizes DPH to accept and expend the gift of cash proceeds from the Thrift Plan valued in  
20 the amount of \$79,231.32 donated by The Estate; and, be it

21 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the proceeds of the gift by The Estate will be accepted  
22 and expended consistent with the San Francisco Administrative Code sections governing the  
23 acceptance of gifts to the City and County of San Francisco, including the San Francisco  
24 Administrative Code, Section 10.100-305; and, be it

1                    FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors extends its gratitude to the  
2 Estate for the generous gift to the City and County of San Francisco in support of LHH.  
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Recommended:

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Mayor

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Dr. Grant Colfax

Approved: /s/\_\_\_\_\_

Director of Health

Controller



City and County of San Francisco  
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**Resolution**

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October 04, 2023 Budget and Finance Committee - RECOMMENDED


October 17, 2023 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Dorsey, Engardio, Mandelman, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

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I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Resolution was ADOPTED on 10/17/2023 by  
the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
County of San Francisco.

  
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Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

  
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Mayor

10/26/23

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Date Approved