[Support for Efforts to Launch Private, Nonprofit Anonymous Crime Information Program in San Francisco.]

Resolution Supporting the Efforts of the First Responder Foundation in its Plans to Develop and Launch a Private, Nonprofit Anonymous Crime Information Program in San Francisco.

WHEREAS, "Crime Stoppers" is a program by which cash rewards of up to \$2,000 are offered to anyone furnishing anonymous information that leads to the arrest and charging of criminals and fugitives; and,

WHEREAS, certain neighborhoods and communities within San Francisco have experienced significant increases in violent crime and homicides, and additional strategies are needed to provide individuals with opportunities to anonymously come forward to communicate information regarding the incidents and perpetrators of the offenses, and,

WHEREAS, Crime Stopper programs in various jurisdictions throughout the United States are independent programs, each established through a separate non-profit corporation and operating under its own bylaws and Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, the First Responder Foundation has established a San Francisco Crime Stoppers program; and,

WHEREAS, A San Francisco Crime Stoppers program may offer a means for the public to provide information to the Police Department to help solve crimes and to identify and locate criminals and fugitives within the City; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco supports the efforts of the First Responder Foundation in its plans to develop and launch a private, nonprofit anonymous crime information program in San Francisco, and be it

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FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco, through its Police Department, may discuss with San Francisco Crime Stoppers mechanisms for the Department to receive and follow up on information obtained through that program, consistent with the Police Department's policies and procedures, as well as operational and fiscal considerations.



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## Resolution

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September 26, 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 September 26, 2006 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Date Approved

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