

HEALTH COMMISSION

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

RESOLUTION NO. 14-91

RESOLUTION OF THE HEALTH COMMISSION REAFFIRMING ITS POLICIES TO SUPPORT THE CREATION OF ADDITIONAL LOW INCOME PERMANENT HOUSING FOR MENTALLY DISABLED AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE CLIENTS, AND SUPPORTING THE HOUSING FOR INDEPENDENT PEOPLE AND THE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION GRANT APPLICATION TO INCREASE THE HOUSING CAPACITY FOR MENTALLY DISABLED

WHEREAS, the Health Commission passed a resolution in May 1990 supporting the department's efforts to increase low income supportive housing for mental health and substance abuse clients as identified in the May 1990 Housing Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Housing for Independent People and the Mental Health Association have developed proposals to private foundations to fund housing development capacity and housing advocacy services for the mentally disabled clients of San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, the Commission supports the department's commitment to provide supportive services and case management support to clients who will be referred to the new housing units; and,

WHEREAS, the Commission supports the department's actions in coordinating with the Redevelopment Agency, the Mayor's Office of Housing, the Department of Social Services, and the State Department of Housing Rehabilitation in identifying potential funding sources for new housing units; and

WHEREAS, The Health Commission requests that the department continue to work aggressively toward the goal of increasing the housing stock for our population; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Health Commission reaffirms its support for increasing low income supportive housing for mental health and substance abuse clients; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Health Commission supports the Housing for Independent People and the Mental Health Association grant applications submitted to private foundations to develop and advocate for housing for the mentally ill.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Health Commission at its meeting of Tuesday, June 4, 1991.



Sandy Ouye Mori

Secretary to the Health Commission