

HEALTH COMMISSION

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

RESOLUTION NO. 11-92

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE HEALTHY CITIES CONCEPT AND PARTICIPATION BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN THE CALIFORNIA HEALTHY CITIES PROJECT THROUGH THE SAN FRANCISCO HEALTHY CITIES PROJECT

WHEREAS, San Francisco has committed itself to improving the health status of children and youth through provision of General Fund dollars for children and youth services; its support of local advisory bodies; and passage of the Proposition J Ordinance; and,

WHEREAS, despite local commitment and support, health indicator data show that major public health problems affect San Francisco's children and youth, including low birth weight; maternal/parental drug abuse; communicable diseases; death due to accidents, homicides and suicide; child abuse and neglect and emotional disturbances; and,

WHEREAS, these diseases and/or health problems emanate from and/or are exacerbated by socioeconomic conditions; and,

WHEREAS, effective prevention and intervention efforts require a comprehensive, coordinated and integrated human services approach; and,

WHEREAS, the mission of the California Healthy Cities Project is to improve the health status of California residents by increasing the use of the Healthy Cities model for the promotion of health by local leaders, professionals, and residents within communities throughout the State; and,

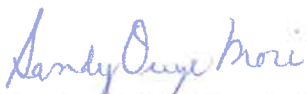
WHEREAS, it is the intent of the Department of Public Health to address human services delivery issues that affect the health status of children and youth through developing and implementing the San Francisco Healthy Cities Project; and,

WHEREAS, approval of the San Francisco Healthy Cities Project by the California Healthy Cities Project will designate San Francisco as a California Healthy City; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Health Commission supports the Healthy Cities concept and development and implementation of the San Francisco Healthy Cities Project; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Health Commission approves application by the Department of Public Health to the California Healthy Cities Project for approval of the San Francisco Healthy Cities Project and designation of San Francisco as a California Healthy City.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Health Commission at its meeting of Tuesday, November 3, 1992.



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Executive Secretary to
the Health Commission