

**Health Commission
Resolution No. 14-7**

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE SFDPH POPULATION HEALTH DIVISION STRATEGIC PLAN

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Health Commission and the Mayor's Office have made achieving Public Health Accreditation a priority for the Department of Public Health; and,

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Health Commission passed a resolution naming an Integrated Delivery System, Public Health Accreditation, and Financial Efficiency the three budget priorities for the Department of Public Health; and,

WHEREAS, in collaboration with our numerous partners whose missions are to protect the health and wellness of our citizens; and,

WHEREAS, a public process that included over 600 participants has resulted in the adoption of the Community Health Assessment and the Community Health Improvement Plan, as required pre-requisites to applying for public health accreditation; and,

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Department of Public Health has been a leader in public health innovation and provision of services; and,

WHEREAS, the Department has completed a reorganization to ensure that it remains ahead of the changes necessary to provide services in the 21st Century health arena; and,

WHEREAS, the Department has a commitment to continuous quality improvement as recognized by the Public Health Accreditation Board; and,

WHEREAS, the newly reorganized Population Health Division of the San Francisco Department of Public Health, has completed its 5-year Strategic Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Health has a strong history of working closely with the San Francisco community and all of the populations that make up this great City; and,

WHEREAS, the 5-year Strategic Plan for the Population Health Division has been presented to the Health Commission;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the San Francisco Health Commission approves and adopts the Strategic Plan for Population Health Division; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the San Francisco Department of Public Health applies forthwith for accreditation through the Public Health Accreditation Board (PHAB).

I hereby certify that at the San Francisco Health Commission at its meeting of June 17, 2014 adopted the foregoing resolution.

Mark Morewitz, Health Commission Executive Secretary