SAN FRANCISCO MUNICIPAL TRANSPORTATION AGENCY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

RESOLUTION No. 12-115

WHEREAS, Taxi service is considered unreliable by residents of San Francisco, who have about a 40 percent chance of getting a taxi to service a dispatch call, according to the latest data available; and,

WHEREAS, Taxi demand will continue to grow due to major upcoming events such as Fleet Week and America's Cup; and,

WHEREAS, The issuance of temporary new medallions would be approved with the understanding that SFMTA Taxi Services is awaiting a final report regarding a public convenience and necessity study by a qualified consultant; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency Board of Directors authorizes the Director of Transportation issue 150-200 temporary full-time medallions for a limited period of time, to be leased directly to certain color schemes based upon objective dispatch criteria, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Director of Transportation shall require, as a condition of each of the permits, that the medallion be operated as a gas and gates medallion, shall be operated with a hybrid, electric, compressed natural gas or other alternative fuel low emission vehicle, and, be it further

RESOVED, That the permits shall be leased to the participating companies for a fixed term of three years, and upon expiration of the lease, the lease may be extended, or the permit issued to another color scheme, at the option of the SFMTA;

RESOLVED, That each company that is given the opportunity to participate in this program must have the ability to produce electronic trip data for its entire fleet prior to receiving any of these medallions.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency Board of Directors at its meeting of September 4, 2012.

R. Bommer

Secretary to the Board of Directors San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency