

1 [Gleneagles Golf Course Pre-Apprenticeship Training Academy]

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3 **Resolution in Support of Gleneagles Training Academy and Sustainable Golf**
4 **and Recreation Initiative.**

5 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Department of the Environment and has
6 been a national leader in integrated pest management (IPM) since the City
7 passed its Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Ordinance in 1996,

8 WHEREAS, All City properties, including golf courses must comply with
9 the IPM Ordinance, and,

10 WHEREAS, The City’s Recreation & Parks Department has successfully
11 implemented IPM in all of its own golf courses, including the Sharp Park Golf
12 Course, which is now pesticide-free, and,

13 WHEREAS, Lease holders of San Francisco City property are required to
14 also comply with the IPM ordinance, and,

15 WHEREAS, The Department of the Environment has a history of
16 supporting job training programs in the City of San Francisco that enhance
17 knowledge of environmental protection and sustainability principles, and,

18 WHEREAS, The Gleneagles Golf Partners L.P. and the Laborers
19 Community Training Foundation (LCTP) have forged a partnership to develop a
20 Pre-Apprenticeship Training Academy for local youth from underserved
21 communities to learn job skills in agronomy, Integrated Pest Management (IPM),

1 arboriculture, the construction trades, first aid, communication skills, problem
2 solving, and team building, and,

3 WHEREAS, The Pre-Apprenticeship Training Academy has already
4 secured financial support and will benefit the community, and,

5 WHEREAS, A Steering Committee of Labor, Government, Community,
6 Non-profit and Business leaders has been formed to guide the Pre-
7 Apprenticeship Training Academy, including staff from the Department of the
8 Environment; now, therefore be it,

9 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Commission on the Environment
10 and the Department of the Environment finds that the objectives of the
11 Gleneagles Golf Course Pre-Apprenticeship Training Academy consistent with
12 Department of the Environment goals and initiatives to further IPM, sustainability
13 efforts, and sustainable jobs training programs in the City.

14 I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted by the Commission on
15 the Environment at its meeting on .

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17 Monica Fish, Commission Secretary

18 Vote:

19 Ayes:

20 Noes:

21 Absent:

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