



To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Councilmember Lori Droste, District 8  
Councilmember Kriss Worthington, District 7

Subject: Relinquishment of Council Office Budget Funds to General Fund and Grant of Such Funds to San Francisco Lesbian-Gay-Bisexual-Transgender Pride Parade

### RECOMMENDATION

That the City of Berkeley officially co-sponsors San Francisco Pride; and

Adopt a Resolution approving the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$1,000 per Councilmember to support the Pacific Center with funds relinquished to the City's General Fund so that the City of Berkeley be represented at the San Francisco Pride Parade on June 24 & 25 and for costs of having a contingent in the Parade from Councilmember Worthington's discretionary Council Office Budget and any other Councilmembers who would like to contribute.

### FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

No General Fund impact; \$1,000 is available from Councilmember's Council Office Budget discretionary account.

### BACKGROUND

This year, the City of Berkeley will have an especially large contingent, as we will be celebrating our LGBT three, including our first openly Lesbian Councilmember. The San Francisco LGBT Pride Parade event has been officially in existence since 1970. This year the Parade will be celebrating its 47<sup>th</sup> year anniversary on June 24 & 25. The two-day San Francisco LGBT Pride Celebration and Parade historically takes place the final weekend in June of each year.

### ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Our parade contingent carefully considers potential environmental impacts of all materials used in the construction of our float and/or our contingent.

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Attachments:  
1: Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF SURPLUS FUNDS FROM THE OFFICE EXPENSE ACCOUNTS OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS FOR A GRANT TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SERVICES FOR A MUNICIPAL PUBLIC PURPOSE

WHEREAS, Councilmember Worthington has surplus funds in his office expenditure account (budget code 010-272-410); and

WHEREAS, a California non-profit tax exempt corporation Pacific Center seeks funds in the amount of \$1,000 to provide the following public services of celebrating LGBT pride and for parade costs and a City of Berkeley float; and

WHEREAS, the provision of such services would fulfill the following municipal public purpose to bring together the community in celebrating the LGBT community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Berkeley will have an especially large contingent in this year's parade; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that the City Manager is authorized to execute a contract with the Pacific Center not to exceed the amount of up to \$1,000 from Councilmember Worthington and other City Councilmembers. Discretionary Council Office budgets for FY 2016 and FY 2017 shall be granted to support the 47<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of San Francisco LGBT Pride Parade for the following services: provide for the cost of a City of Berkeley float.



