Honorable Board of Trustees of the
San Francisco Community College Board

Subject: Resolution No. 970626-B6
Authorizing SFCCD contract to obtain drummer services for the Physical Education Department, North Gym, with Zeke Nealy, at the rate of $13.08 per hour, not to exceed $4,678, for the period August 18, 1997 through May 28, 1998.

President and Members:

The Physical Education Department, North Gym, City College of San Francisco, wishes to contract with Zeke Nealy, to provide drummer services for day classes and to provide drummer services for evening classes for the African-Haitian Dance classes for the school year.

It is important to have drummers because in an African-Haitian and/or traditional African dance class, an atmosphere is created which is as close as possible to all the traditional realms of African society. An attitude of unity, oneness within a community, is critical in the classroom to express traditional African dance. The live drum is important in achieving this unity. Recorded music is not a satisfactory substitute.

Execution of this contract is necessary because of special training in playing traditional rhythms for execution of African-Haitian dance. Contractor agrees and declares that he is qualified to perform such special services and that he is willing to render them.

The following resolution is recommended for adoption:

RESOLVED: That the SFCCD contract to obtain drummer services for the Physical Education Department, North Gym with Zeke Nealy, at the rate of $13.08 per hour, not to exceed $4,678, for the period August 18, 1997 through May 28, 1998.

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED: That the Chancellor, Chief Operating Officer, and/or their designees, are hereby authorized to execute this contract on behalf of the SFCCD, in accordance with California Government Code section 53060.

Recommended for adoption:

Del M. Anderson, Chancellor

Originator: Linda Squires Grohe