

March 13, 2007

TO: Susan Adams

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FROM: Steve Kinsey, President

**SUBJECT:** Resolution in support of the Earn It! Keep It! Save It! Marin campaign to

increase access to the earned income tax credit

**RECOMMENDATION:** Adopt resolution

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Dear Colleagues,

Please join me in endorsing the Earn It! Keep It! Save It! Campaign. As you may recall, our board received a short presentation about the program from United Way representatives Hilda Castillo and Jennie Carpenter on January 30. This effort, cosponsored by the IRS, United Way of the Bay Area, and our Health and Human Services Department, will provide free assistance with tax filing. All people may take advantage of this assistance; however, the program particularly aims to help lowincome families take advantage of federal tax benefits such as the Earned Income Tax Credit and Child Tax Credit.

I urge you to adopt the attached resolution, and to extend our thanks to the many volunteers who are helping to make the program a success.

Sincerely,

Steve Kinsey