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Completed by: Annette Lonich **Date: May 10, 2012**

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Print Form

Introduction Form

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor

Time stamp
or meeting date

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):

☐ 1. For reference to Committee: _____
An ordinance, resolution, motion, or charter amendment.

☒ 2. Request for next printed agenda without reference to Committee.

☐ 3. Request for hearing on a subject matter at Committee: _____

☐ 4. Request for letter beginning "Supervisor _____ inquires"

☐ 5. City Attorney request.

☐ 6. Call File No. _____ from Committee.

☐ 7. Budget Analyst request (attach written motion).

☐ 8. Substitute Legislation File No. _____

☐ 9. Request for Closed Session (attach written motion).

☐ 10. Board to Sit as A Committee of the Whole.

☐ 11. Question(s) submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the BOS on _____

Please check the appropriate boxes. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following:

☐ Small Business Commission ☐ Youth Commission ☐ Ethics Commission

☐ Planning Commission ☐ Building Inspection Commission

Note: For the Imperative Agenda (a resolution not on the printed agenda), use a different form.

Sponsor(s):

Supervisor Kim

Subject:

Public Works Week May 20-26, 2012

The text is listed below or attached:

see attached.

Signature of Sponsoring Supervisor: _____

For Clerk's Use Only:

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1 [Public Works Week - May 20-26, 2012]
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3 **Resolution commending the men and women of the Department of Public Works and**
4 **proclaiming May 20 - 26, 2012, as Public Works Week in the City and County of San**
5 **Francisco.**
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7 WHEREAS, Public works programs and services provided in the City and County of
8 San Francisco are delivered by a professional and committed staff of public works employees;
9 and
10 WHEREAS, It is the mission of the San Francisco Department of Public Works to
11 improve the quality of life in San Francisco through partnering with the community and
12 providing outstanding public service; and where its programs and services, provided twenty-
13 four hours a day, seven days per week, are an integral part of our residents' everyday lives;
14 and
15 WHEREAS, During the last year, the San Francisco Department of Public Works
16 produced significant achievements, including opening five Branch Libraries for which DPW
17 provided project management, architectural and/or engineering services; breaking ground on
18 the new Public Safety Building and the Pier 27 Cruise Ship Terminal; introducing new
19 initiatives such as Mobile Food Facilities and Parklets permits; kicking off the $248 million
20 three-year Road Repaving and Street Safety Program (Streets Bond); introducing the Better
21 Market Street project to the public through a series of workshops; collecting over 2,605
22 pounds of fruits and vegetables for the SF Food Bank from our Urban Gleaning program;
23 developing DPWStat, a management tool to enhance service delivery efficiency; engaging a
24 record number of over 6,600 volunteers in clean up and beautification efforts; and initiating
25 new apprenticeship programs to provide job training and create jobs; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Public Works is implementing goals and objectives under its Strategic Plan to achieve its vision to create a world class public works organization that contributes to making San Francisco a beautiful, livable, vibrant, and sustainable city; and

WHEREAS, Public Works is dedicated to community outreach and has provided thousands of volunteers with meaningful neighborhood improvement work in the past year through DPW's signature volunteer event Community Clean Team; and

WHEREAS, An important feature of National Public Works Week is the recognition that public-private partnerships between the city and its residents, businesses and visitors, are vital to the success of public works projects; and

WHEREAS, The theme of 2012 National Public Works Week is Public Works: Creating a Lasting Impression, and as this year's Public Works Week coincides with the 75th anniversary of the Golden Gate Bridge, the American Public Works Association (APWA) has honored San Francisco by featuring the bridge on their national posters; and

WHEREAS, During Public Works Week, DPW holds events to honor the women and men who make daily contributions in public works-related efforts, including designing, operating and improving the city's infrastructure; graffiti removal, tree planting and maintenance; neighborhood beautification and volunteer clean-ups; street and sewer repair; architecture and engineering services; and street use and mapping services; collectively known as public works; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims May 20th through May 26th, 2012 as Public Works Week in San Francisco and commends the men and women of the Department of Public Works while calling upon all of its residents, businesses, and neighborhood and merchant organizations to work in collaboration with the department as it enhances the quality of life in San Francisco.