

1 [Commending Supervisor Ahsha Safaí]

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3 **Resolution honoring the outstanding service of Ahsha Safaí, Supervisor for San**  
4 **Francisco’s District 11, and declaring December 17, 2024, as Supervisor Ahsha Safaí**  
5 **Day in the City and County of San Francisco.**

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7 WHEREAS, Supervisor Ahsha Safaí has demonstrated over 30 years of public service,  
8 beginning his career working for the honorable Mayor Willie Brown to protect immigrants from  
9 losing their housing and advancing key gang violence prevention strategies; and

10 WHEREAS, Supervisor Safaí then worked for the honorable Mayor Gavin Newsom  
11 connecting young adults, formerly incarcerated, and homeless people to good paying jobs to  
12 help clean the streets and beautify public spaces; and

13 WHEREAS, Supervisor Safaí spent nearly a decade as a labor organizer, representing  
14 frontline workers like janitors, sanitation workers, delivery drivers, and grocery store  
15 employees, helping to raise the San Francisco minimum wage to \$15/hour; and

16 WHEREAS, Supervisor Safaí once elected Supervisor of District 11 in 2016 passed  
17 legislation to streamline housing construction, helped secure funding for and support the  
18 construction of over 600 new housing units in the district with 64% affordable for working  
19 families and 40% set aside for District 11 neighbors, passed a retail workers bill of rights,  
20 secured a citywide project labor agreement to increase wages for workers, and led the effort  
21 to pass Proposition C in 2022, creating a citizen oversight board over the Department of  
22 Homelessness and Supportive Housing; and

23 WHEREAS, Supervisor Safaí has been an unapologetic champion for the immigrant  
24 community, working closely with many advocacy groups and grassroots community

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1 organizations such as Faith in Action, to amplify the voices of communities who are most  
2 impacted by public policy; and

3 WHEREAS, Supervisor Safaí helped small businesses facing challenges starting and  
4 doing business in San Francisco, passed legislation focused on community policing to bring  
5 more foot patrols to our neighborhoods and to allow Deputy Sheriffs to patrol commercial  
6 corridors, all while planting approximately 3,000 trees in his eight years in office and securing  
7 \$1.4M in public safety traffic calming measures in over 150 locations; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors recognizes and commends Supervisor  
9 Ahsha Safaí for his unwavering commitment to San Francisco, its residents and workers; and,  
10 be it

11 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisor applauds Supervisor Safaí for  
12 his 30 years of service to improving the lives of working families citywide but especially District  
13 11; and, be it

14 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors declares December 17, 2024,  
15 as Supervisor Ahsha Safaí Day in the City and County of San Francisco.

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