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[Neighborhood Park Doggie Bag Repositories]

URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS TO PLACE BOXES IN NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS FOR DOGGIE BAG REPOSITORIES

WHEREAS, San Francisco has a large population of dog owners who share neighborhood parks with the other residents of the City; and,

WHEREAS, Most dog owners in the City are respectful of other people when they take their dogs to City parks and make a concerted effort to clean up after their dogs when they enjoy park areas, not all dog owners are responsible in this regard; and,

WHEREAS, Due to this, some parks have been left in a state that is precarious to sit in for a picnic or to take a walk in at night, and this hampers the enjoyment of parks for everyone; and,

WHEREAS, Tiburon currently implements a program where they place boxes in neighborhood parks for residents of the island to recycle their shopping bags and for dog owners to use the bags to clean up after their dogs; and,

WHEREAS, The boxes are also used to post park rules such as closing times, offleash areas, rules for eating and drinking in the park, and other announcements that the Recreation and Park Department wishes to make; and,

WHEREAS, This simple program helps to promote a clean park with a visible message to dog owners and with materials to assist dog owners in keeping the park clean; and,

WHEREAS, This program also helps to prevent litter and promote recycling by providing a place for shopping bags; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco hereby urges the Department of Recreation and Parks to place boxes in neighborhood parks for doggie bag repositories.



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Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom,

Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Teng

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on April 17, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young Clerk of the Board

Date Approved

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Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr