

1 [James A. Johnston Month.]

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3 Resolution declaring September 2004 as “James A. Johnston Month” in the City and County  
4 of San Francisco.

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6 WHEREAS, James A. Johnston was a civic minded San Franciscan; and,

7 WHEREAS, James A. Johnston was a founding member of the San Francisco  
8 Advertising Club, the San Francisco Rotary Club, and the Commonwealth Club, and also held  
9 memberships in the Elks Club and the Olympic Club; and,

10 WHEREAS, James A. Johnston ran in the 1907 Board of Supervisors’ election and was  
11 endorsed by the Democratic Party, the Independent Party and the Good Government League  
12 Party; and,

13 WHEREAS, James A. Johnston served on the Board of Supervisors for one term,  
14 helping to put San Francisco back on its feet after the earthquake of 1906; and,

15 WHEREAS, In 1933, James A. Johnston was asked by the Attorney General of the  
16 United States to set up, open and run Alcatraz Island Federal Penitentiary, which he served  
17 with distinction for fourteen years; and,

18 WHEREAS, September 7, 2004 is the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the death of James A.  
19 Johnston; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors declares September 2004 as “James A.  
21 Johnston Month” in the City and County of San Francisco.

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