

1 [Declaring November 9, 2010, as Clinic by the Bay Day]

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3 **Resolution declaring November 9, 2010, as Clinic by the Bay Day in the City & County**
4 **of San Francisco.**

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6 WHEREAS, Clinic by the Bay is a Volunteers in Medicine clinic, based on a successful
7 community-based model that brings together retired doctors, nurses, and other volunteers to
8 provide free, compassionate care; and

9 WHEREAS, Clinic by the Bay is a free, volunteer-powered health clinic that helps to
10 meet the primary medical needs of adults in the Excelsior, Outer Mission, and Daly City who
11 are ineligible for Medicare or Medi-Cal, do not have private insurance, and have income
12 levels that are at or below 250 percent of the federal poverty level; and

13 WHEREAS, Clinic by the Bay is funded by the donations from the private sector, in-
14 kind gifts, and free professional services and maintains a network of partnerships with
15 hospitals, medical specialists, and social service providers to ensure comprehensive,
16 coordinated and non-duplicative care; and

17 WHEREAS, Clinic by the Bay provides culturally and linguistically competent primary
18 and preventative care, basic dental and mental health screening, prescription medications
19 assistance, coordination of specialty referrals, and health education; and

20 WHEREAS, Clinic by the Bay officially opens to the public on November 9, 2010, and
21 estimates they will complete 2,100 clinic visits in their first year of operation; now, therefore,
22 be it

23 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
24 hereby declares November 9, 2010 to be designated as Clinic by the Bay Day.

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