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5 WHEREAS, Michael Yalon, a native San Franciscan and proud graduate of St.
6 Ignatius High School joined the SFPD as a cadet in 1968, joining as an officer the following
7 year; and

8 WHEREAS, Mike Yalon has had a distinguished public safety career of nearly 35
9 years with the San Francisco Police Department; and,

10 WHEREAS, Mike Yalon’s SFPD career has been distinguished by its diversity
11 including Central, Richmond, Southern and Taraval Stations and Arson Unit and Traffic
12 Company, among others; and,

13 WHEREAS, Mike’s outstanding leadership as Commanding Officer of Taraval Station
14 responded well to the challenge of protecting the largest geographical area of any District in
15 our City; and,

16 WHEREAS, Mike Yalon, is highly regarded as the quintessential Community Police
17 Officer; absolutely devoted to his officers and the community, especially seniors and children;
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19 WHEREAS, Mike Yalon has been a constant presence in schools and senior centers,
20 establishing Halloween and Christmas programs that have been replicated citywide; and,

21 WHEREAS, Mike Yalon most recently led SFPD’s Traffic Company rejuvenating this
22 division and making an important contribution towards reducing pedestrian accidents, calming
23 traffic, and introducing community policing to the Traffic Company’s work; now, therefore, be
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Jake McGoldrick, Gavin Newsom, Aaron Peskin, Gerardo Sandoval

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1 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors commends and thanks
2 Michael Yalon for his outstanding public service career, congratulates him, on the occasion of
3 his retirement, and wishes him continued success and enjoyment.

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