FILE NO. 011630

RESOLUTION NO. 724-0

[Terrorist Attacks on the United States]

Resolution supporting House of Representatives Joint Resolution expressing the Sense of Congress and HR: 2888 the "2001 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for Recovery from and Response to Terrorist Attacks of the United States" appropriating \$40,000,000,000 for emergency expenses to respond to the terrorist attacks on the United States

WHEREAS, on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2001, terrorists hijacked and destroyed four civilian aircraft, crashing two of them into the towers of the World Trade Center in New York City, and a third into the Pentagon outside Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, thousands of innocent Americans were killed and injured as a result of these attacks, including the passengers and crew of the four aircraft, workers in the World Trade Center and in the Pentagon, rescue workers, and bystanders; and,

WHEREAS, These attacks destroyed both towers of the World Trade Center, as well as adjacent buildings, and seriously damaged the Pentagon; and

WHEREAS, these attacks were by far the deadliest terrorist attacks ever launched against the United States, and by targeting symbols of American Strength and success, clearly were intended to intimidate our Nation and weaken its resolve; and

WHEREAS, The House Joint Resolution expressing the sense of Congress was introduced by House Majority Leader Dick Armey and Minority Leader Richard Gephardt on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2001 in the 107<sup>th</sup> Congress first session; and

WHEREAS, HR: 2888 the "2001 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for Recovery from and Response to Terrorist Attacks of the United States" was introduced on Wednesday September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2001; and

Newsom BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WHEREAS, House Resolution 2888 will go to providing support to counter, investigate, or prosecute domestic or International terrorism; and

WHEREAS, House Resolution 2888 will go to providing Federal, State and Local preparedness for mitigating and responding to the attacks; and

WHEREAS, House Resolution 2888 will go to providing increased transportation security; and

WHEREAS, House Resolution 2888 will go to repairing public facilities and transportation systems damaged by these attacks; and

WHEREAS, House Resolution 2888 will go to supporting national security; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, The City of San Francisco condemns in the strongest possible terms the terrorists who planned and carried out the September 11, 2001 attacks against the United States, as well as their sponsors

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco extends it's deepest condolences to the victims of these heinous and cowardly attacks, as well to their families, friends and loved ones;

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco commends the heroic actions of these rescue workers, volunteers, and state and local officials who responded to these tragic events with courage determination and skill

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco thanks those foreign leaders and individuals who have expressed solidarity with the United States in the aftermath of the attacks, and asks them to continue to stand with the United States in the war against International terrorism

Newsom BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco supports the determination of the President, in close consultation with the Congress, to punish the perpetrators of these attacks as well as their sponsors; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco does hereby support House of Representatives Joint Resolution expressing the Sense of Congress and HR: 2888 the "2001 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for Recovery from and Response to Terrorist Attacks of the United States"

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September 17, 2001 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Newsom, Yee Absent: 2 - Peskin, Sandoval File No. 011630

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> I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on September 17, 2001 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young Clerk of the Board

LANA

Mayor Willie L. Brown 4.

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Date Approved

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