

1 [Asian Pacific Heritage Month]
2 DECLARING MAY 2000 AS "ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH" IN THE
3 CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

4 WHEREAS, Asian Pacific American Heritage Month is a national
5 celebration during the month of May to recognize the tremendous
6 contributions of Americans of Asian and Pacific Islander descent;
7 and,

8 WHEREAS, From 1970 to 1990, the Asian Pacific American (APA)
9 population in the United States has doubled each decade from 1.5
10 million in 1970, to 3.7 million in 1980 and to 7.9 million in 1990;
11 and,

12 WHEREAS, Based on the current trends, the APA population is
13 estimated to reach 20 million by the year of 2020; and,

14 WHEREAS, Asian Pacific Americans have a long and rich history in
15 the City and County of San Francisco and have contributed greatly to
16 the economic, social, cultural and civic life of the City and County
17 of San Francisco and State of California; and,

18 WHEREAS, This month-long celebration increases public awareness
19 of the contribution and needs of Asian Pacific Americans, who
20 comprise 34% of the population in the City and County of San
21 Francisco and number more than 210,876 in San Francisco; now
22 therefore be it

23 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County
24 of San Francisco declares May 2000 as "Asian Pacific American
25 Heritage Month" in the City and County of San Francisco.

SUPERVISORS TENG, BIERMAN, LENO, NEWSOM, BECERRIL, AMMIANO
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



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Date Passed:

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May 8, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Yaki, Yee

Absent: 3 - Leno, Newsom, Teng

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on May 8, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.