

1 [Greek Independence Day in San Francisco.]

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3 **Resolution declaring March 25, 2005 as “Greek Independence Day” in the City and**
4 **County of San Francisco.**

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6 WHEREAS, The love of liberty that helped shape our Constitution has deep roots in
7 the spirit of ancient Greece; and,

8 WHEREAS, As we observe Greek Independence Day, we celebrate the timeless
9 democratic principles that all freedom-loving people cherish; and,

10 WHEREAS, To continue to strengthen and spread liberty around the world, the values
11 and traditions of democracy must be passed on to each new generation; and,

12 WHEREAS, In 1821 our nation supported the cause of Greek Independence when the
13 brave men and women of Greece began their long struggle for liberty; and,

14 WHEREAS, On the anniversary of the Greek Declaration of Independence, we honor
15 the courage of these proud patriots and celebrate our nations’ shared commitment to
16 democracy; and,

17 WHEREAS, In celebrating Greek Independence Day we are also grateful for the many
18 ways Greek Americans have enriched our communities and strengthened our country; and,

19 WHEREAS, March 25, 2005 is the 184th anniversary of the birth of the Greek State;
20 now, therefore be it

21 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors declares March 25, 2005 as “Greek
22 Independence Day” in the City and County of San Francisco.

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