

1 [Proclamation for Peace and Dignity Day on July 7, 2008 in San Francisco]

2 **Proclamation of the City and County of San Francisco to declare July 7, 2008 as Peace**
3 **and Dignity Day**
4

5 WHEREAS, Peace and Dignity Journeys began in 1992 as spiritual runs through the
6 sacred lands of the Western Hemisphere by Indigenous Peoples so that work towards a
7 better future for our children and generations to come can be realized; and,

8 WHEREAS, San Francisco will be a stopping point for Peace and Dignity Journeys in
9 July 2008; and,

10 WHEREAS, runners began on the opposite ends of Chickaloon, Alaska in North
11 America, and in Tierra del Fuego, Argentina in South America on May 1st, 2008, and who will
12 be running towards the center, meeting in Panama City, Panama on the land of the Kuna
13 Nation; and,

14 WHEREAS, Peace and Dignity Journeys embody the prophecy of the Eagle and the
15 Condor, a prophecy mandating that at this time, all Indigenous Peoples in the Western
16 Hemisphere shall be reunited in a spiritual way in order to heal their nations; now, therefore
17 be it

18 RESOLVED, San Francisco is honored to take part in this historic journey aimed at
19 bringing Peace and Dignity to all Indigenous nations, communities, and pueblos from Alaska
20 to Argentina; and be it,

21 FURTHER RESOLVED, that July 7, 2008 is hereby declared as Peace and Dignity
22 Day in San Francisco by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.
23
24
25