

1 [Commending the California Coastal Conservancy.]

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3 **Resolution commending the California Coastal Conservancy for support of renovation,**
4 **restoration, engineering, public access construction, and educational content**
5 **development for exhibits in and around the South Windmill in Golden Gate Park, San**
6 **Francisco.**

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8 WHEREAS, The California Coastal Conservancy, established in 1976, is a state
9 agency that uses entrepreneurial techniques to purchase, protect, restore, and enhance
10 coastal resources, and to provide access to the shore by working in partnership with local
11 governments, other public agencies, nonprofit organizations, and private landowners; and

12 WHEREAS, To date, the Conservancy has undertaken more than 950 projects along
13 the 1,100 mile California coastline and around San Francisco Bay, including protection and
14 improvement of coastal wetlands, streams, and watersheds and working with local
15 communities to revitalize urban waterfronts; and

16 WHEREAS, The South Windmill in Golden Gate Park was built in 1905 and is the
17 largest windmill of its kind in the world; and

18 WHEREAS, the South Windmill is in dire need of attention with interior wood stairs and
19 supports rotting with age and having lost its sails, fan tail and deck; and

20 WHEREAS, The California Coastal Conservancy recently approved \$750,000 to
21 Friends of Recreation and Parks for renovation, restoration, engineering, public access
22 construction, and educational content development for exhibits in and around the South
23 Windmill in Golden Gate Park, San Francisco; therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors commends the California
2 Coastal Conservancy for its leadership in helping restore and renovate the South Windmill in
3 Golden Gate Park, San Francisco.
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