

1 [Commemorating Adolph Sutro's 180<sup>th</sup> Birthday]

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3 **Resolution Commemorating the 180<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Adolph Sutro**

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5 WHEREAS, Adolph Heinrich Joseph Sutro was born on April 29, 1830 in Aachen,  
6 Prussia, and on November 21<sup>st</sup>, 1851 arrived in San Francisco; and,

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8 WHEREAS, History remembers Adolph Sutro as one of San Francisco's finest citizens  
9 who became its first populist mayor in 1895; and,

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11 WHEREAS, Adolph Sutro purchased the Cliff House in the early 1880s as well as one  
12 thousand acres of land facing the ocean, now called Sutro Heights; and,

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14 WHEREAS, He was one of the greatest philanthropists in the United States, and built  
15 the saltwater Sutro Baths, the largest in the world, and planted Sutro Forest with a million  
16 trees; and

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18 WHEREAS, Adolf was the owner of the first private library in the USA to be open for  
19 the public; and,

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21 WHEREAS, Best remembered for his innovation and gifts to the city, Adolf remains an  
22 important historical icon: now, therefore, be it

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24 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
25 hereby proclaims that the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April each year be declared the official "Day of Adolph  
Sutro" in the City and County of San Francisco.



**City and County of San Francisco**  
**Tails**  
**Resolution**

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Resolution commemorating the 180th birthday of Adolph Sutro.

April 27, 2010 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Alioto-Pier, Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Mar and  
Mirkarimi  
Excused: 1 - Maxwell

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I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Resolution was ADOPTED on 4/27/2010 by  
the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

  
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Mayor Gavin Newsom

5/06/2010  
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Date Approved