

1 [Commending Dave Garrison.]

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3 **Resolution commending Dave Garrison for his commitment to San Francisco and for**  
4 **his years of service on behalf of his family and the community.**

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6 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison was born on May 25, 1916 to Culyan and Callie Mae  
7 Garrison in Longview, Texas; and,

8 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison has resided in San Francisco for the past fifty years; and,

9 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison and his wife, Freddie Mae Bonner, were wed in 1944 and  
10 had six children: Jacqueline, Ronald, Raymond, Gwendolyn, Cheryl, and Anita; and,

11 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison is multi-talented in many trades, having worked as a  
12 longshoreman, carpenter, and cement mason; and,

13 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison worked on numerous landmark buildings such as the  
14 Transamerica Building, the Federal Building, the Bank of America Building, The Cannery, the  
15 Japanese Trade Center, St. Mary's Cathedral of the Assumption, and many more; and,

16 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison became owner of the Monte Carlo Café, home to several  
17 political and social events including those with former Mayor Dianne Feinstein and Admiral  
18 Toney; and,

19 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison continues to be a successful businessman in the  
20 community with Garrison Roofing & Construction Company; and,

21 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison has been instrumental in providing careers in the  
22 construction fields for many youths; and,

23 WHEREAS, Dave Garrison has been honored by the San Francisco Black Chamber of  
24 Commerce for operating one of the oldest established African American owned businesses in  
25 San Francisco; now, therefore, be it

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1           RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors commend Dave Garrison for his  
2 commitment to San Francisco and for his years of service on behalf of his family and the  
3 community; and,

4           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors salutes  
5 Dave Garrison for all his hard work by re-naming Garrison Avenue “Dave Garrison Avenue”  
6 on the 25<sup>th</sup> of May, 2005.

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