[Commending Barry Hermanson]

Resolution commending Barry Hermanson for 25 years of service to San Francisco through the operation of a socially responsible business and declaring March 17, 2005 Barry Hermanson Day in the City and County of San Francisco.

WHEREAS, Barry Hermanson has dedicated his life to social and economic justice issues and a quarter century as the founder and driving force behind Hermanson's Employment Services with the unwavering goal of improving the lives of the people of San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, Barry had the laudable vision and perseverance to cultivate and nurture an enterprise that supported better workplaces beneficial to businesses, their employees, and the communities in which they reside; and,

WHEREAS, Based on this principle Barry has worked tirelessly to provide a livable wage to temporary workers employed by his company without charging clients more; and,

WHEREAS, Barry has generously invested business profits back into the community through donations to over 40 organizations ranging from Dolores Street Community Services and the Small Business Network to United for a Fair Economy; and,

WHEREAS, Barry and his staff have graciously welcomed progressive campaigns with shoestring budgets to utilize their office space and phones; and,

WHEREAS, Barry was instrumental in organizing the living wage movement and fought for the new minimum wage, which enabled over 74,000 low-wage workers to improve their standard of living and over 20,000 workers to benefit from the stability health care insurance provides; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco wishes to convey a rousing "Thank You" and heartfelt well wishes to Barry Hermanson; and

WHEREAS, Barry opened the doors of Hermanson's Employment Services on March 17, 1980 and twenty five years later on March 17, 2005 Barry will begin a new chapter in his life; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco declare Thursday March 17, 2005 as Barry Hermanson Day.



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March 15, 2005 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell,

McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin

Absent: 1 - Sandoval

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on March 15, 2005 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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Date Approved

Mayor Gavin Newsom

Clerk of the Board