

1 [Commendation of the Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony.]

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3 **Resolution commending the Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony for their**  
4 **dedication to recognizing the teachings of Confucius.**

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WHEREAS, Confucius' ideology, many parallel to the Christian, Muslim and other religious teachings, was adapted and practiced throughout China and beyond and was especially influential in the Far East; and,

WHEREAS, A ceremony to mark the 2553<sup>rd</sup> birthday of Confucius (551-479 B.C.), the most revered "Great Philosopher of the East" was hosted by the Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony on September 28 at San Francisco City Hall; and,

WHEREAS, The Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony was founded in 1982 to ensure the preservation and continuance of Confucius Day and to recognize the contributions of teaching professionals; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco commends the Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony for their dedication to recognizing the teachings of Confucius.