

1 [Commending Family Connections, San Bruno Merchants Association and the greater Portola
2 community for their efforts to revitalize their neighborhood and proclaiming Sunday,
3 September 29, 2002 at San Bruno Avenue Community Festival Day in San Francisco.]

4 **Resolution to commend Family Connections, San Bruno Merchants Association and**
5 **the greater Portola community for their efforts to revitalize their neighborhood and**
6 **proclaim Sunday, September 29, 2002 at San Bruno Avenue Community Festival Day in**
7 **San Francisco.**

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9 WHEREAS, the Portola community is a lesser-known neighborhood in the
10 southeastern quadrant of San Francisco and is primarily made up of single-family homes with
11 a neighborhood balance of city and suburban feel; and

12 WHEREAS, there is a major shopping area on San Bruno Avenue between Silver and
13 Mansell Avenues and in the last few years, the area undergone a fairly large changeover, with
14 many new residents renovating homes, planting trees, and becoming active in local politics;
15 and,

16 WHEREAS, this area has become accustomed to rapid change from a primarily Italian
17 and Maltese area in the fifties and sixties, to an ethnically diverse area in the seventies and
18 eighties and nineties; and,

19 WHEREAS, Family Connections and the San Bruno Merchants Association are
20 spearheading efforts to create the first San Bruno Ave Community Festival on Sunday,
21 September 29, 2002; and,

22 WHEAREAS, The festival is part of an on going effort of the Portola Community to
23 showcase their vitality and promote the local business in the area, now, therefore, be it

24 **RESOLVED**, That the City and County of San Francisco Board of Supervisors
25 commend the Family Connections, San Bruno Merchants Association and the greater Portola

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1 community for their efforts to spotlight the diversity, character and distinctiveness of one of
2 the city's most interesting and fastest growing neighborhoods in San Francisco; and, be it,
3 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco Board of
4 Supervisors proclaim Sunday, September 29, 2002 as San Bruno Ave Community Festival
5 Day in San Francisco.

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