[Commending Judy Shepard]

MESSAGE OF ACCEPTANCE TO SAN FRANCISCO.

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RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San

WHEREAS, After the brutal murder of her son, Matthew Shepard, Judy Shepard is

lending her support to causes that would have meant something to her son; and,

COMMENDING JUDY SHEPARD FOR BRINGING HER DIGNITY, COURAGE, AND

WHEREAS, Judy Shepard has established the Matthew Shepard Foundation, a philanthropic and educational organization to help foster tolerance and diversity among young people; and,

WHEREAS, Judy Shepard has taped public service announcements for the Human Rights Campaign, the nation's largest gay and lesbian political organization; and,

WHEREAS, Judy Shepard appears in *Journey to a Hate Free Millennium*, a documentary film that seeks solutions for hate crimes; and,

WHEREAS, Judy Shepard recently visited San Francisco to appeal to Californians to vote against Proposition 22, a state ballot initiative that would ban same-sex marriage; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco commends Judy Shepard for bringing her dignity, courage, and message of acceptance to San Francisco.



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Resolution

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Date Passed:

Resolution commending Judy Shepard for bringing her dignity, courage, and message of acceptance to San Francisco.

February 7, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 6 - Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Leno, Newsom

Absent: 5 - Becerril, Kaufman, Teng, Yaki, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on February 7, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

Clerk of the Board