

1 [Condemning ICE Action at San Francisco International Airport]

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3 **Resolution condemning Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Action; urging**
4 **the United States Congress to fund the Transportation and Security Agency; and**
5 **urging San Francisco Law Enforcement Agencies to recommit to Sanctuary City**
6 **policies.**

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8 WHEREAS, On Sunday, March 22, at 10:30 p.m. Immigration and Customs
9 Enforcement (ICE) agents were observed violently detaining and handcuffing a woman who
10 was travelling with a young child at the San Francisco International Airport (SFO); and

11 WHEREAS, Bystanders filmed the action demanded the ICE agents provide their
12 identification and badge numbers and were ignored, and later San Francisco Police
13 Department Officers arrived and formed a barrier around the ICE agents, without requesting
14 to see proper documentation; and

15 WHEREAS, Since February 2026, funding for the Department of Homeland Security
16 (DHS) has been withheld by Congress to demand accountability and changes to immigration
17 enforcement tactics; and

18 WHEREAS, Senator Elizabeth Warren has stated that “All we’re asking for is that ICE
19 agents follow the same rules as pretty much every other law enforcement out there in this
20 country. Same kind of accountability, same kind of lucid engagements in making sure that the
21 public is safe.”; and

22 WHEREAS, The shut-down of DHS has led to funding being withheld from the
23 Transportation Security Agency (TSA) at airports across the country and on Monday, March
24 23, Donald Trump has ordered ICE agents to patrol in airports to “assist TSA”; and

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1 WHEREAS, According to reporting by the New York Times, ICE enforcement and
2 arrests have increased to over 1,100 arrests per day on average in 2026, up from 600 a day
3 in Spring 2025; and

4 WHEREAS, At the end of 2025 and beginning of 2026, the violence and abuse
5 perpetrated by ICE led to the murder of two United States Citizens, Renee Good and Alex
6 Pretti, who were protesting ICE actions in Minneapolis; and

7 WHEREAS, In addition to the murders of Good and Pretti, in 2025, 32 individuals died
8 while in ICE custody and three individuals were fatally shot by ICE officers, eliciting profound
9 outrage and despair at the inability of ICE to properly observe due process and care for
10 individuals under custody; and

11 WHEREAS, These deaths do not account for the widespread reports of disappearing of
12 countless individuals or the deaths of those impacted by the stress from the rampant
13 escalation of ICE enforcement; and

14 WHEREAS, Since 1989, San Francisco, like hundreds of other cities, counties and
15 states across the country, established itself as a Sanctuary City, prohibiting City employees
16 from using City funds or resources to assist Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) in
17 the enforcement of Federal immigration law unless such assistance is required by federal or
18 state law; and

19 WHEREAS, In 2013, San Francisco passed the “Due Process for All” Ordinance, which
20 limits when City law enforcement officers may give ICE advance notice of a person’s release
21 from local jail and prohibits cooperation with ICE detainer requests, sometimes referred to as
22 “ICE holds.”; now, therefore be it

23 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors condemns ICE actions at
24 the San Francisco International Airport, and any further enforcement in the City and County of
25 San Francisco; and, be it

1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board urges the United States Congress to fully fund
2 the Transportation and Security Agency (TSA) and withhold any funding to ICE; and, be it

3 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board urges San Francisco Law Enforcement
4 Agencies, the San Francisco Police Department, the San Francisco Sheriff's Department, and
5 the San Francisco District Attorney's Office to recommit to the San Francisco Sanctuary City
6 Policies.

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