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Prepared by: Lisa Lew Prepared by:	Date: October 20, 2023  Date:

1	[Domestic Violence Awareness Month - October 2023]
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3	Resolution recognizing October 2023 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month in the
4	City and County of San Francisco.
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6	WHEREAS, Domestic Violence Awareness Month was launched nationwide in
7	October of 1987 as a way for individuals and organizations to raise awareness for issues
8	relating to domestic violence; and
9	WHEREAS, Domestic violence is a pervasive issue affecting individuals and families
10	across the nation, regardless of age, race, gender, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status,
11	or ethnicity; and
12	WHEREAS, Domestic Violence Awareness Month provides an opportunity for our
13	community to come together to raise awareness about domestic violence, to support
14	survivors, and to promote healthy relationships; and
15	WHEREAS, Domestic violence is a public health crisis, causing significant physical,
16	emotional, and economic harm to victims, their families, and the community as a whole; and
17	WHEREAS, The presence of a gun in domestic violence situations increases the risk
18	of homicide for women by 500%; and
19	WHEREAS, Every 16 hours, a woman is shot and killed by a spouse or intimate
20	partner in the United States; and
21	WHEREAS, Nearly half of all women killed in the United States are murdered by a
22	current or former intimate partner; and
23	WHEREAS, On average, nearly 24 people per minute are physically abused by an
24	intimate partner in the United States; and
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1	WHEREAS, In the United States, over 12 million adults experience domestic violence
2	annually; and
3	WHEREAS, Nearly three in 10 women and one in 10 men will experience domestic
4	violence during their lifetime; and
5	WHEREAS, Domestic violence prevention and intervention services are essential for
6	the well-being of our residents and for the continued development of a safe and just society;
7	and
8	WHEREAS, Local organizations and advocates in the City and County of San
9	Francisco work tirelessly to provide support, resources, and services to survivors of domestic
10	violence and their families; now, therefore, be it
11	RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco hereby recognizes the month
12	of October 2023 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month and commits to supporting efforts
13	to raise awareness about domestic violence, prevent its occurrence, and provide resources
14	for survivors; and
15	FURTHER RESOLVED That the City and County of San Francisco encourages its
16	residents, community organizations, schools, businesses, and other institutions to participate
17	in activities and events during Domestic Violence Awareness Month to show their
18	commitment to ending domestic violence in our community; and
19	FURTHER RESOLVED That the City and County of San Francisco reaffirms its
20	support for domestic violence prevention, education, and intervention programs and services
21	that contribute to the safety, well-being, and empowerment of survivors and their families.
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## **Introduction Form**

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or Mayor

Time stamp or meeting date

I hereby submit the following item for introduction	on (select only one):	or mee	eting date
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1. For reference to Committee. (An Ordinano	ce, Resolution, Motion	or Charter Amendment).	
✓ 2. Request for next printed agenda Without R	deference to Committee.		
3. Request for hearing on a subject matter at 0	Committee.		
4. Request for letter beginning: "Supervisor			inquiries"
5. City Attorney Request.			_
6. Call File No.	from Committee.		
7. Budget Analyst request (attached written n	notion).		
8. Substitute Legislation File No.			
9. Reactivate File No.		ı	
10. Topic submitted for Mayoral Appearance	before the BOS on		
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Subject:			
Recognizing October 2023 as Domestic Violence	e Awareness Month		
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Signature of Sp	onsoring Supervisor: /s	/ Catherine Stefani	

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