

1 [Condemning Rush Limbaugh for Mocking Chinese President Hu Jintao]

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3 **Resolution condemning Rush Limbaugh for mocking the Chinese language and**
4 **Chinese President Hu Jintao on his radio show on January 19, 2011.**

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6 WHEREAS, Rush Limbaugh has mocked the Chinese language and culture with his
7 impersonation of President Hu Jintao’s commentary; and,

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Limbaugh shows no remorse about the incident and further has made
9 comments that he did the American population a favor with his “remarkable impersonation” of
10 the Chinese language; and,

11 WHEREAS, Community organizations such as Chinese for Affirmative Action, OCA,
12 Japanese American Citizen League, and California National Organization for Women have
13 called for an apology from Mr. Limbaugh; and,

14 WHEREAS, California Senator Leland Yee has issued a petition to demand an
15 apology from Mr. Limbaugh, and for sponsors to pull their advertisements from his radio
16 program; and,

17 WHEREAS, Rush Limbaugh represents a regressive stance in American society by
18 belittling the Chinese community with his mocking of the Chinese language and the President
19 of China. His remarks show extreme disrespect to Chinese Americans that have struggled
20 and made great contributions to this country; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors stands with the civil rights
22 organizations demanding an apology from Rush Limbaugh; and, be it

23 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors condemns
24 Rush Limbaugh for his offensive comments and calls on him to apologize immediately.

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