

1 [Commendation of the Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony.]

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3 **Resolution commending the Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony for their**  
4 **dedication to recognizing the teachings of Confucius.**

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6 WHEREAS, Confucius planted the seeds of a peaceful intellectual and social revolution  
7 in the hearts and minds of all Chinese more than 25 centuries ago; and,

8 WHEREAS, Confucius' ideology, many parallel to the Christian, Muslim and other  
9 religious teachings, was adapted and practiced throughout China and beyond and was  
10 especially influential in the Far East; and,

11 WHEREAS, A ceremony to mark the 2554<sup>th</sup> birthday of Confucius (551-479 B.C.), the  
12 most revered "Great Philosopher of the East" was hosted by the Committee for the Confucius  
13 Memorial Ceremony on September 26 at San Francisco City Hall; and,

14 WHEREAS, The Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony was founded in  
15 1982 to ensure the preservation and continuance of Confucius Day and to recognize the  
16 contributions of teaching professionals; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
18 commends the Committee for the Confucius Memorial Ceremony for their dedication to  
19 recognizing the teachings of Confucius.

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