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[Lilli Ann Mural]

URGING RESTORATION OF THE LILLI ANN MURAL LOCATED AT 2030 HARRISON STREET

WHEREAS, The Lilli Ann mural was commissioned by the City and County of San Francisco for \$36,500.00 in 1986; and,

WHEREAS, The Lilli Ann mural was created and painted by the late master muralist Jesus "Chuy" Campusano, with the assistance of painter and artist Elias Rocha, on the side of the Lilli Ann Corporation building at 2030 Harrison Street; and,

WHEREAS, The Lilli Ann mural has been, and continues to be recognized, with its brightly colored abstract art design as a great civic treasure and work of art; and,

WHEREAS, The vibrant design of the Lilli Ann mural, standing four stories tall and one half city block wide, adds to the social and cultural vitality of San Francisco's Mission District; and,

WHEREAS, The Lilli Ann mural is one of a few abstract murals in the City and County of San Francisco; and,

WHEREAS, The Lilli Ann mural is one of many murals which, by their display on large building walls, have added depth and beauty to the City and County of San Francisco and have made important contributions to the economic development and revitalization of the Mission District; and,

WHEREAS, The Lilli Ann Corporation recently sold the building at 2030 Harrison Street to the Robert J. Cort Trust; and,

WHEREAS, The Lilli Ann mural added beauty to the Mission community, undisturbed, for twelve years until it was whitewashed on Saturday morning, July 25, 1998, on behalf of the building owners; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco Board of Supervisors abhors the defacement of the Lilli Ann mural; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco Board of Supervisors urges that the Lilli Ann mural be restored by the owners Robert and Vera Cort and the Robert J. Cort Trust, and preserved in its original location along 17th Street and Harrison for future generations of San Franciscans to enjoy; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Board transmit a copy of this resolution to Robert and Vera Cort and the Robert J. Cort Trust.

Adopted - Board of Supervisors, San Francisco October 5, 1998

Ayes: Supervisors Ammiano Brown Kaufman Leno Newsom Teng

Yee

Absent: Supervisors Bierman Katz Medina Yaki

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco

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Date Approved

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Clerk

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