RESOLUTION TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE SUCCESS OF THE 2000 SEASON SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS, TO COMMEND THEM FOR THE HONOR THEY HAVE BROUGHT TO OUR CITY, AND TO ROOT THE "SAY HEY" KIDS ON TO THE WORLD SERIES.

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Giants have a long and illustrious history, having begun as an expansion team in Troy, New York in the late 1880's; and

WHEREAS, The Gothams, as the Giants were formerly known, played their first game on May 1, 1885 at the Polo Grounds in New York City; and

WHEREAS, In 1886, Gothams' manager Jim Mutrie exclaimed, "My big fellows! My Giants! We are the People!" and thus the Giants were born; and

WHEREAS, The Giants left New York at the end of the 1957 season and traveled west to San Francisco, to be greeted by Mayor George Christopher and a grateful City and where the Giants became the San Francisco Giants and in 1958 began playing at Seal Stadium; and

WHEREAS, The Giants have been involved in post season play seven times since coming to San Francisco: 1962, 1971, 1987, 1989, 1997, 1998 and now, in 2000; and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Giants have participated in two World Series, in 1962 and again in 1989; and

WHEREAS, The 2000 San Francisco Giants advance to the playoffs with the best record in Major League Baseball, with 97 wins, 65 losses for a winning average of .599; and

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Giants square off against the New York Mets at Pacific Bell Park on October 4th and October 5th, 2000, with Livan Hernandez (17-11) on the mound October 4th and Shawn Estes(15-6) on the mound on October 5; so therefore be it

RESOLVED that the people of San Francisco join together in a spirit of pride and honor to hail our San Francisco Giants onto victory, first in the playoffs and then to the World Series, and to further commend Peter Magowan, Dusty Baker, the Giants staff, players and fans, without whom this special time would not be possible.

Supervisor Alicia Becerril



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Resolution acknowledging the success of the 2000 season San Francisco Giants and commending them for the honor they have brought to our City, and to root the "Say Hey" kids on to the World Series.

October 10, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom,

Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Teng

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 10, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Jean Lum

Acting Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved