

[Bay Area Youth Foundation Day in San Francisco]

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Resolution declaring Thursday, October 8, 2009, Bay Area Youth Sports Foundation Day in San Francisco.

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6 WHEREAS, Bay Area Youth Sports Foundation (BAYS) created the Bay Area Youth Sports Foundation Day to offer low income children innovative programs that combine sports with educational enrichment and life skills to improve health, wellness, and educational outcomes; and

10 WHEREAS, The BAYS Foundation currently supports five different programs: Girls on the Run, Lacrosse for Life, Oakland Community Pools Project, East Palo Alto Tennis and Tutoring, and Real Options for City Kids (R.O.C.K.); and

13 WHEREAS, The BAYS Foundation believes that organized sports can engage and transform the experiences of all young people and, when part of structured programs with a larger educational mission, can help change lives and strengthen communities; and

16 WHEREAS, The BAYS Foundation works to strengthen programs and organizations that provide opportunities and increase access for low income youth to participate in organized sports in the greater San Francisco Bay Area; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, does hereby proclaim Thursday, October 8, 2009, as Bay Area Youth Sports Foundation Day in San Francisco.

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