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7 WHEREAS, Mati Bates stated her career with the City and County of San Francisco on  
8 February 1, 1980 as a program monitor in the Mayor’s Office of Community Development,  
9 responsible for monitoring the nonprofit Housing development corporations; and,

10 WHEREAS, in 1982 Mati moved to the newly created Mayor’s Office of Housing  
11 bringing a wealth of experience and knowledge to that office; and,

12 WHEREAS, Mati has dutifully served under Five Mayor, implementing a variety of low  
13 income housing polices that have improved the quality of life for an untold number of San  
14 Francisco residents; and

15 WHEREAS, Mati has served as staff to eight different directors of the Mayor’s Office of  
16 housing, helping to create an air consistency in that office; and

17 WHEREAS, Mati is acknowledged by her peers and the nonprofit housing community  
18 for her professional contributions and her teamwork to improve all aspects of nonprofit  
19 housing development; and,

20 WHEREAS, Mati has demonstrated her commitment to improve the quality of life for all  
21 San Franciscans by serving on various boards and committees such as Christmas in April,  
22 The Audrey L. Smith Development Center and The San Francisco University High School to  
23 name a few; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, that the Board of supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
25 bestow its highest commendation and humble appreciation to Mati Bates for her 25 years of

1 loyal service to the city and County of San Francisco, and wish her the best of health and  
2 happiness in the future.

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