

1 [Commending Supervisor Jake McGoldrick.]

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3 **Resolution Commending and Honoring Supervisor Jake McGoldrick for his**
4 **distinguished service as a Supervisor of the City and County of San Francisco.**

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6 WHEREAS, Supervisor Jake McGoldrick was elected in 2000 and re-elected in 2004 to
7 serve District 1 and all of the people of the City and County of San Francisco for two action-
8 packed terms; and

9 WHEREAS, Throughout his eight years of service Supervisor McGoldrick has
10 legislated with his heart and soul and has showed passion, courage and care in his efforts to
11 better this City that we all cherish; and

12 WHEREAS, During his tenure, Supervisor McGoldrick has served as chair of the
13 Housing, Transportation and Land Use Committee, the Transportation and Commerce
14 Committee, the Land Use Committee, the City Operations and Neighborhood Services
15 Committee, the San Francisco County Transportation Authority and, finally, the 2008-2009
16 Budget and Finance Committee in a year of unusually severe budget constraints while still
17 maintaining principles of sound economic justice; and

18 WHEREAS, Supervisor McGoldrick has also served as a member on various regional
19 bodies such as the Bay Area Air Quality Management District, the Golden Gate Bridge
20 Highway and Transportation District, California State Association of Counties and the
21 Association of Bay Area Governments; and

22 WHEREAS, Supervisor McGoldrick has passed many significant laws that include the
23 expansion of the popular car-free program in Golden Gate Park; protecting special and unique
24 features that San Francisco boasts, such as single and dual screen movie theatres; multiple
25 ordinances that garnered tens of millions of dollars for the Municipal Transportation Agency to

1 better run MUNI; many ballot propositions that the voters of San Francisco passed into law,
2 including Prop C, that mandated greater fiscal and managerial oversight of City departments;
3 funding for the Golden Gate Park Stables; and a policy statement passed by both the Board of
4 Supervisors and the voters that requires City departments to not cooperate with the USA
5 Patriot Act, which sought to violate constitutional protections of privacy and due process; and

6 WHEREAS, Supervisor McGoldrick was a champion of good government issues such
7 as Bus Rapid Transit, the Mobility Access and Pricing program, maintaining municipal control
8 over the City's public assets, as well as being instrumental in the creation and implementation
9 of comprehensive community-based planning; and

10 WHEREAS, Supervisor McGoldrick also created effective task forces and advisory
11 bodies such as the Pedestrian Safety Advisory Committee and the Biodiesel Task Force that
12 provide expert advice to the Board of Supervisors to make informed, difficult decisions; now,
13 therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, That the members of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of
15 San Francisco, on behalf of the officers, employees and citizens of the City, do hereby
16 gratefully recognize the distinguished contributions that Supervisor Jake McGoldrick has
17 made to the welfare of this community, and do express to him great appreciation for his high
18 quality of work and best wishes for success in his future endeavors.

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