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[Protecting America's Resources 2000]
ASKING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO SUPPORT LEGISLATION TO USE
OFFSHORE OIL RESOURCE FUNDING TO PROTECT AND MAINTAIN
AMERICA'S PUBLIC LANDS, PARKS AND WATER RESOURCES

WHEREAS, There is an urgent need to protect our country's historic and natural heritage; and,

WHEREAS, Many of America's open lands, urban parks, historic structures and marine and wildlife resources are disappearing or deteriorating due to a lack of attention and funding; and,

WHEREAS, In 1965, Congress created the Land and Water Conservation Fund, which would provide 900 million dollars for environmental and conservation efforts; and,

WHEREAS, For more than thirty years, Congress has stalled on the commitment they made to ensure that these funds would be used to preserve our endangered and valuable resources; and,

WHEREAS, The Permanent Protection for America's Resources 2000 Act, authored by U.S. Senator Barbara Boxer and U.S. Representative George Miller, would set aside 2.3 billion dollars annually in offshore drilling revenue to protect the nation's most endangered lands, wetlands and wildlife; and,

WHEREAS, this bill would set an immediate course of action to rescue our natural and historic treasures from endangerment or extinction; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco supports the legislation introduced by U.S. Senator Barbara Boxer and U.S. Representative George Miller to use offshore oil resource funding to protect and maintain America's lands, parks and water resources.

Supervisor Newsom, Yaki, Katz, Leno



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File Number: 990347

Date Passed:

Resolution supporting legislation to use offshore oil resource funding to protect and maintain America's public lands, parks and water resources.

March 1, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng, Yaki, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on March 1, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.