

1 [Recognizing United Airlines' 100th Anniversary - April 6, 2026]

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3 **Resolution recognizing April 6, 2026, as the 100th Anniversary of United Airlines and**  
4 **its central role in San Francisco's economy and global connectivity.**

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6 WHEREAS, United Airlines, founded in 1926, has grown into a global aviation leader  
7 connecting San Francisco to destinations across the world; and

8 WHEREAS, San Francisco International Airport (SFO) serves as United Airlines'  
9 primary West Coast hub and international gateway, with United operating approximately 45  
10 percent of all passenger traffic; and

11 WHEREAS, United Airlines' hub at SFO is a cornerstone of the regional economy,  
12 supporting an estimated \$24 billion in annual economic activity and more than 115,000 direct  
13 and indirect jobs across the Bay Area; and

14 WHEREAS, United's operations are critical to San Francisco's tourism, convention,  
15 and business sectors, facilitating billions in visitor spending, supporting tax revenues, and  
16 enabling global trade, investment, and innovation; and

17 WHEREAS, United Airlines employs thousands of union-represented workers at SFO;  
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19 WHEREAS, During the COVID-19 pandemic, United Airlines maintained essential air  
20 service and cargo operations, supporting the City's resilience and economic recovery; and

21 WHEREAS, United Airlines' continued investment in SFO, including international  
22 service, fleet modernization, and sustainable aviation initiatives, is vital to San Francisco's  
23 long-term economic competitiveness as a global city; now, therefore, be it

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1           RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
2 hereby congratulates United Airlines on its 100th Anniversary and recognizes its enduring  
3 partnership with the City; and, be it

4           FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board affirms United Airlines as a cornerstone of San  
5 Francisco's economy and a key driver of jobs, tourism, and global connectivity through its hub  
6 at SFO; and, be it

7           FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board recognizes the essential contributions of  
8 United's workforce and the broader aviation community; and, be it

9           FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this Resolution be presented to United  
10 Airlines in honor of its Centennial Celebration, with appreciation for its continued commitment  
11 to San Francisco.

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