

1 [Gerry Adams]

2 COMMENDING GERRY ADAMS FOR THE PIVOTAL ROLE THAT HE PLAYED IN THE
3 IRISH PEACE PROCESS

4 WHEREAS, the City and County of San Francisco and its citizens
5 have a long history of supporting justice, peace and self
6 determination for all people; and,

7 WHEREAS, the people of northeast Ireland have suffered from
8 unjust discrimination and war for more than 25 years; and,

9 WHEREAS, Gerry Adams, the President of the political party Sinn
10 Fein, has played a pivotal role in the effort to resolve the
11 conflicts in northeast Ireland so that there might be a just and
12 lasting peace; and,

13 WHEREAS, the people of Ireland have overwhelmingly voted to
14 support the Good Friday document, which reflects the desire of the
15 Irish people for a just peace, recognizes the equality of all Irish
16 people, accepts the importance of the Irish language and culture, and
17 offers the potential for Irish people to determine their own future
18 in a United Ireland; and,

19 WHEREAS, the framework for peace in Ireland would not have been
20 possible without the vision and efforts of Gerry Adams; now,
21 therefore be it

22 RESOLVED, that the San Francisco Board of Supervisors hereby
23 welcomes Gerry Adams to the Bay Area and applauds the pivotal role he
24 has played in the Irish peace process

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Resolution commending Gerry Adams for the pivotal role that he played in the Irish peace process.

November 9, 1998 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

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

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution
was ADOPTED on November 9, 1998 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.