

1 [Asian Improv Records]  
2 COMMENDING ASIAN IMPROV RECORDS AND ANTHONY BROWN'S ASIAN AMERICAN  
3 ORCHESTRA UPON THEIR NOMINATION FOR A GRAMMY AWARD IN THE CATEGORY OF  
4 BEST LARGE ENSEMBLE PERFORMANCE AND EXTENDING ITS DEEPEST  
5 CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES.

6 WHEREAS, Asian Improv Records was founded in 1987 to produce and  
7 promote the work of Asian American musicians and to empower the Asian  
8 American community in the music industry; and,

9 WHEREAS, Asian Improv Records is the only international record  
10 company which documents the work of Asian Americans who perform  
11 creative music; and,

12 WHEREAS, The Asian American Orchestra has been nominated for a  
13 GRAMMY award for Best Large Ensemble Performance for its recording of  
14 Duke Ellington and Billy Strayhorn's Far East Suite; and

15 WHEREAS, Director of the Asian American Orchestra, Dr. Anthony  
16 Brown, chose to commemorate the centennial of Duke Ellington with a  
17 new interpretation of the Far East Suite, combining the sounds of the  
18 jazz orchestra with musical instruments and concepts for Iran, Japan,  
19 and China; and

20 WHEREAS, Far East Suite features arrangements and contributions  
21 created through the collaboration of members of the Asian American  
22 Orchestra; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County  
24 of San Francisco hereby commends Asian Improv Records and Anthony

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SUPERVISOR, TENG, BECERRIL  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

1 Brown's Asian American Orchestra upon their nomination for a GRAMMY  
2 award in the category of Best Large Ensemble Performance; and be it,  
3 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
4 County of San Francisco extends its deepest congratulations and best  
5 wishes.

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# City and County of San Francisco

City Hall  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

## Tails

## Resolution

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**File Number:** 000167

**Date Passed:**

Resolution commending Asian Improv Records and Anthony Brown's Asian American Orchestra upon their nomination for a Grammy Award in the category of best large ensemble performance and extending its deepest congratulations and best wishes.

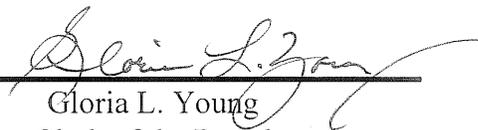
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January 31, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

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 January 31, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



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Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved



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Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.