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1	[Transit Month - September 2024]
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3	Resolution proclaiming September 2024 as the Ninth Annual San Francisco Transit
4	Month in the City and County of San Francisco.
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6	WHEREAS, Robust, frequent, reliable, and accessible public transit is necessary for
7	the livability and sustainability of San Francisco; and
8	WHEREAS, Public transit remains the most efficient way to provide the most mobility
9	options for the most people in a dense city; and
10	WHEREAS, Public transit is often the only mobility option available to people with
11	disabilities, seniors, and those with mobility impairments; and
12	WHEREAS, Public transit is a public good, benefitting all residents, workers, and
13	visitors by providing accessible mobility that minimizes greenhouse gas emissions and
14	reduces traffic congestion; and
15	WHEREAS, Transportation ranks as one of the primary contributors to greenhouse gas
16	emissions in San Francisco (45%), with private vehicles accounting for nearly three-quarters
17	(70%) of these emissions; and
18	WHEREAS, Public transportation only accounts for 1% of San Francisco's
19	transportation emissions, and less than 1% of all greenhouse gas emissions citywide; and
20	WHEREAS, As part of San Francisco's Housing Element, the City has committed to
21	supporting the development of housing near transportation to increase ridership and reduce
22	dependency on private vehicles while investing in infrastructure to create equitable access to
23	transit and connect neighborhoods; and
24	WHEREAS, Encouraging use of public transit is a crucial part of San Francisco's post-
25	pandemic recovery and meeting our climate, housing, and Vision Zero goals; and

1	WHEREAS, Muni ridership has consistently risen since the start of the COVID-19
2	pandemic, ascending from a daily average of 85,000 riders in 2020 to over 460,000 in 2024,
3	with numerous routes nearing or surpassing 100% of pre-pandemic ridership levels,
4	underscoring the reality that San Franciscans still rely heavily on public transit; and
5	WHEREAS, Muni, BART, and Caltrain all face potential fiscal cliffs that could drastically
6	reduce service and halt critical infrastructure work; and
7	WHEREAS, The residents, workers, and visitors of San Francisco deserve a thriving
8	transit system characterized by enhanced frequency, affordability, accessibility, heightened
9	dependability, extensive geographic coverage, and improved connections to key destinations
10	and interlinked systems; and
11	WHEREAS, Since 2016, San Francisco Transit Riders has organized an annual transit
12	celebration to encourage more people to try public transit and celebrate transit riders and
13	operators for the vital role they play in creating a sustainable and livable San Francisco; and
14	WHEREAS, In 2021, Transit Week expanded to an annual Transit Month and in the
15	following year, organizers introduced the "Ride Contest" challenge to encourage residents and
16	elected officials to proudly log their trips on public transit; now, therefore be it
17	RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco hereby designates September
18	2024 as the Ninth Annual San Francisco Transit Month in the City and County of San
19	Francisco; and, be it
20	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco will work to
21	support the recovery of our public transit operators, maintain and improve transit service, and
22	promote equitable and reliable transit access throughout San Francisco.
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Introduction Form

(by a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor)

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	3.	Request for Hearing on a subject matter at Committee		
	4.	Request for Letter beginning with "Supervisor inquires"		
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	6.	Call File No. from Committee.		
	7.	Budget and Legislative Analyst Request (attached written Motion)		
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