

1 [Star Wars Day - May 4, 2026]

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3 **Resolution recognizing May 4, 2026, as Star Wars Day in the City and County of San**
4 **Francisco.**

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6 WHEREAS, Star Wars is a groundbreaking film series and expansive science fiction
7 universe created by George Lucas that has become one of the most influential and beloved
8 franchises in motion picture history; and

9 WHEREAS, Lucasfilm, one of the world’s leading film and entertainment companies
10 and the studio behind Star Wars and Indiana Jones, is headquartered in San Francisco at the
11 Letterman Digital Arts Center in the Presidio of San Francisco, employing over a thousand
12 workers and contributing to the City’s creative economy; and

13 WHEREAS, Since 2005, Industrial Light & Magic, the pioneering visual effects division
14 of Lucasfilm, has operated out of the Presidio, continuing to advance innovations in
15 filmmaking and technology from within San Francisco; and

16 WHEREAS, The Yoda Fountain at Lucasfilm headquarters has become an iconic and
17 widely visited cultural landmark for residents and visitors alike; and

18 WHEREAS, San Francisco continues to serve as a destination for Star Wars fans from
19 around the world, including through the recent opening of the Skywalker Ranch General Store
20 in the Presidio, which has quickly become a tourist attraction and point of pilgrimage for fans
21 of the franchise; and

22 WHEREAS, The phrase “May the Fourth be with you,” a fan-created play on the iconic
23 line “May the Force be with you,” has evolved into a globally recognized celebration of Star
24 Wars each year on May 4; and

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1 WHEREAS, The enduring popularity of Star Wars reflects its themes of hope,
2 resilience, and the fight for justice, values that resonate deeply with the diverse communities
3 of San Francisco; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors hereby declares May 4,
5 2026, as Star Wars Day in the City and County of San Francisco; and, be it

6 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors encourages residents,
7 businesses, and visitors to celebrate the cultural and artistic contributions of Star Wars and
8 San Francisco's role in its history.

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