

1 [Commending Geoff Rothman]

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3 **Resolution commending Geoff Rothman for his outstanding accomplishments**
4 **and dedicated public service throughout his thirty-five years of service with the**
5 **City and County of San Francisco.**

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8 WHEREAS, Geoff Rothman has served the City and County of San Francisco for
9 thirty-five years with the utmost dignity, integrity and energy; and,

10 WHEREAS, Geoff Rothman began his service for the City charged with the task
11 of developing, implementing, coordinating and monitoring the Affirmative Action
12 program for all City departments to ensure diversity and quality in City employment;
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14 WHEREAS, Geoff Rothman went on to develop and administer program activity for the
15 San Francisco Police Department to target recruitment of women and minorities, and develop
16 and administer examinations for all uniformed ranks and pre-employment training programs
17 for the purpose of ensuring departmental progress toward integration of all uniformed ranks;
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20 WHEREAS, As Director of the Employee Relations Division of the Department of
21 Human Resources, Geoff Rothman was a key architect in implementing the City's full
22 collective bargaining program for a diverse workforce; and,

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24 WHEREAS, Geoff Rothman's untiring efforts led to the development and administration
25 of the City's complex labor relations function into a program which is now widely recognized

by public officials, unions, other public jurisdictions and professional groups as one of the nation's most successful, sophisticated, and creative programs; and,

WHEREAS, Geoff Rothman's historical and all-encompassing knowledge of the City's infrastructure, departments and labor relations, along with his unrelenting wit and charm, will be missed by all at the bargaining tables and throughout the City; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Members of the Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the officers, employees and citizens of the City, do hereby gratefully recognize the distinguished contributions that Geoff Rothman has made and commend him for his distinguished leadership during his many years of public service with the City and County of San Francisco upon the occasion of his retirement and wish him success in his future endeavors.