1	[Internet Archive Day - October 22, 2025]
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4	web pages, honoring the 26th Anniversary of the Internet Archive, and declaring
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7	WHEREAS, The Internet Archive, founded in 1996 and headquartered in San
8	Francisco, is a nonprofit digital library with a mission to provide "universal access to all
9	knowledge"; and
	WHEREAS, The Internet Archive serves a critical role in providing open, non-
10 11	discriminatory access to books, music, videos, and the history of the web; and
12	WHEREAS, The Internet Archive has preserved an unparalleled public record of the
13	internet, providing free and equitable access to historical websites, documents, images, audio
14	video, and other cultural materials to researchers, historians, scholars, educators, journalists,
15	people with print disabilities, and the general public; and
16	WHEREAS, The Internet Archive's Wayback Machine, used by billions around the
17	world, has become an essential tool for verifying facts, tracking history, preserving
18	endangered knowledge, and supporting open access; and
19	WHEREAS, The Internet Archive serves as a protector of information, providing
20	democratized access to knowledge and truth through access to books, print and digital media
21	including books that have been banned from libraries across the country, which is particularly
22	important at this moment in time; and
23	WHEREAS, As of October 2025, the Internet Archive will reach a monumental
24	milestone of archiving 1 trillion web pages since its founding—a shared achievement for

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1	digital culture and a testament to the importance of long-term preservation in the information
2	age; and
3	WHEREAS, This accomplishment represents not only a technological triumph but a
4	civic good, ensuring that the digital record of humanity remains available to future
5	generations; now, therefore, be it
6	RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
7	recognizes the amazing milestone reached of archiving 1,000,000,000,000 web pages; and,
8	be it
9	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San
10	Francisco commends the Internet Archive on its 26th Anniversary for its extraordinary
11	contributions to public knowledge, digital preservation, and the democratic ideals of access
12	and transparency; and, be it
13	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San
14	Francisco declares October 22, 2025, as Internet Archive Day.
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