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2 [Childhood Cancer Awareness Week .]

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4 **Resolution proclaiming June 26 through July 3, 2006, Childhood Cancer Awareness**
5 **Week in San Francisco.**

6 WHEREAS, The American Cancer Fund for Children and Kids Cancer Connection
7 report cancer is the leading cause of death by disease among children in the United States.
8 This tragic disease is detected in more than 12,500 of our nation's young people each and
9 every year; and
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11 WHEREAS, Founded more than twelve years ago by Steven Firestein, a descendent of
12 cosmetics magnate Max Factor, the American Cancer Fund for Children, Inc. and sister
13 organization, Kids Cancer Connection, Inc. are dedicated to helping these children and their
14 families; and
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16 WHEREAS, The American Cancer Fund for Children and Kids Cancer Connection
17 provide a variety of vital patient psychosocial services to children undergoing cancer
18 treatment at the UCSF Children's Hospital's Division of Hematology/Oncology at the UCSF
19 Medical Center and the California Pacific Medical Center's Pediatric Hematology/Oncology
20 program in San Francisco, as well as participating hospitals throughout the country, thereby
21 enhancing the quality of life for these children and their families; and
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23 WHEREAS, Through its uniquely sensitive and comforting Magical Caps for Kids
24 program, the American Cancer Fund for Children and Kids Cancer Connection distributes
25 thousands of beautifully hand made caps and decorated baseball caps to children who want

1 to protect their heads following the trauma of chemotherapy, surgery and/or radiation
2 treatments; and

3 WHEREAS, The American Cancer Fund for Children and Kids Cancer Connection also
4 sponsor Courageous Kid award ceremonies and hospital celebrations in recognition of a
5 child's determination and bravery to fight the battle against childhood cancer; now, therefore
6 be it

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8 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors extends its highest commendation to the
9 American Cancer Fund for Children and Kids Cancer Connection for their dedication to
10 helping children and hereby proclaims June 26 through July 3, 2006 as Childhood Cancer
11 Awareness Week in San Francisco.



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June 20, 2006 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

Absent: 1 - Maxwell

Excused: 1 - Alioto-Pier

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on June 20, 2006 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

06.22.2006

Date Approved

Mayor Gavin Newsom