

1 [Messenger Appreciation Day]

2 **DECLARING OCTOBER 7, 2000 AS “MESSENGER APPRECIATION DAY”.IN THE CITY**
3 **AND COUTNY OF SAN FRANCISCO.**

4 WHEREAS, Messengers are a common sight on the Downtown streets of San
5 Francisco and they are integral in the smooth and efficient operation the economy of the San
6 Francisco Bay Area;

7 WHEREAS, There are more than 350 bicycle messengers who work for over 30
8 companies that in engage the same day urgent delivery business; and

9 WHEREAS, In addition, there are thousands of additional employees who deliver
10 packages on foot, by truck, car and motorcycle; and

11 WHEREAS, These employees are an integral part of the City’s economy and they risk
12 injury and even their lives everyday to ensure that the City’s commerce runs smoothly ; and

13 WHEREAS, The majority of these employees work long hours for low wages and
14 minimal benefits; and

15 WHEREAS, It is the desire of the City and County of San Francisco that all its workers
16 should receive a living wage, good benefits as well as to work in a healthy and safe
17 environment; and

18 WHEREAS, It is the also the desire of the City and County of San Francisco to express
19 its appreciation to the messenger community for the vital contributions to the City’s economy
20 as well as to commemorate the messengers who have past away while carrying out their
21 duties; now therefore be it

22 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
23 hereby declares October 8, 2000 as “Messenger Appreciation Day” in the City and County of
24 San Francisco.

25 **SUPERVISOR AMMIANO, BIERMAN**



City and County of San Francisco

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Resolution declaring October 7, 2000 as "Messenger Appreciation Day" in the City and County of San Francisco.

October 2, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng, Yaki, Yee

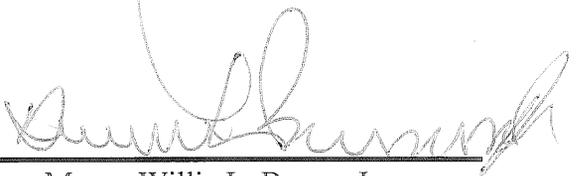
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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 2, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.


Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

OCT 13 2000

Date Approved


Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.