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6 WHEREAS, Sergeant James Wertz began his service with the San Francisco Police
7 Department when he entered the Police Academy on December 16, 1956; and

8 WHEREAS, Sergeant Wertz was awarded the Bronze Star for Valor for his services
9 during an arrest made on March 11, 1968, in which a suspect who had perpetrated robbery of
10 a Safeway Store was overpowered, disarmed, and then arrested; and

11 WHEREAS, Sergeant Wertz has served the Police Department throughout the City and
12 County of San Francisco including Ingleside Station, Central Station, Mission Station, and the
13 Warrant Bureau; and

14 WHEREAS, In 1972 Sergeant Wertz received a promotion to the position of sergeant;
15 and

16 WHEREAS, Since 1993 Sergeant Wertz has been the supervising sergeant of the
17 Report Entry Unit of the Support Services Division; and

18 WHEREAS, Sergeant Wertz is responsible for supervising 23 officers and clerks who
19 sustain the data input of all Police Statistics and the Auto Statis Unit, which is accountable for
20 all stolen and recovered vehicles in the City and County of San Francisco; and

21 WHEREAS, During his time in the position the Sergeant has been personally
22 responsible for re-uniting hundreds of citizens with their recovered stolen vehicles; and

23 WHEREAS, Sergeant Wertz is the second member of the San Francisco Police
24 Department to serve for the duration of 50 years, but the first sergeant to have done so; now,
25 therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors thanks Sergeant James
2 Wertz for his dedication to the San Francisco Police Department; and be it

3 FURTHER RESOLVED, The San Francisco Board of Supervisors commends Sergeant
4 Wertz for his 50 years of dedicated service and protection for the citizens of the City and
5 County of San Francisco.

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