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7 WHEREAS, San Francisco has historically benefited from a greatly diverse population,
8 comprising a vibrant mix of ideas, religions, national origins, and ethnic backgrounds; and,

9 WHEREAS, San Francisco is dedicated to working with diplomatic communities to
10 promote mutual understanding and to enhance San Francisco’s economic vitality; and

11 WHEREAS, San Francisco was selected as the site of the first United Nations
12 Conference in 1945; and,

13 WHEREAS, the United Humanitarian Mission is a non-profit, non-partisan, and non-
14 religious organization which seeks to improve society’s moral health by combating the loss of
15 universal human values; and,

16 WHEREAS, the United Humanitarian Mission defines humanitarians as those who “risk
17 their lives to save the lives of other people who are persecuted by terrorists, religious fanatics,
18 or totalitarian regimes because of their color, ethnicity, or beliefs”; and,

19 WHEREAS, the United Humanitarian Mission was founded in 1998 and is based in
20 San Francisco; and,

21 WHEREAS, San Francisco’s “Garden of Humanitarians” is the first such garden built
22 by the United Humanitarian Mission in the United States; now, therefore be it

23 RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
24 hereby proclaims that the first day of October each year be declared the official “Day of
25 Humanitarians in the City and County of San Francisco”.