

1 [Commending the SHARE Foundation on the occasion of its 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary]

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3 **Resolution commending San Salvador Mayor Violeta Menjivar and the SHARE**  
4 **Foundation on the occasion of the foundation's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.**

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6 WHEREAS, Since 1982, the SHARE Foundation has worked to improve the living  
7 conditions in impoverished communities in El Salvador; and,

8 WHEREAS, The Mayor of San Salvador, Violeta Menjivar, is visiting San Francisco to  
9 commemorate the SHARE Foundations 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary; and,

10 WHEREAS, SHARE has helped Salvadorans who were under threat, internally  
11 displaced or exiled in refugee camps; and,

12 WHEREAS, The foundation brings together the people of North America and El  
13 Salvador in order to solve the problems of poverty, underdevelopment and social injustice;  
14 and,

15 WHEREAS, The theme of this year's anniversary celebration is the empowerment of  
16 women; and,

17 WHEREAS, SHARE brings systematic change to the lives of the Salvadoran people by  
18 presenting sustainable community based development alternatives to globalization; and,

19 WHEREAS, SHARE works with a network of Salvadoran-Americans in cities across the  
20 United States to promote sustainable and justice-based rural development; now, therefore, be  
21 it

22 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
23 commends Mayor Violeta Menjivar and the SHARE Foundation, on the occasion of the  
24 foundation's 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary, for its commitment to improving the lives of the people of El  
25 Salvador and the San Francisco Bay Area.