

1 [Chris Robertson Way.]

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3 **Resolution honoring Chris Robertson by renaming 4<sup>th</sup> Street between Brannan and**  
4 **Third Streets “Chris Robertson Way.”**

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6 WHEREAS, Bicyclist Chris Robertson was struck and killed by a truck in the 1000  
7 block of Fourth Street on November 17, 2000 at 8:50 PM; and

8 WHEREAS, Chris Robertson worked at Rainbow Grocery, a San Francisco  
9 cooperative, and was a dispatcher for a bike messenger company when he died, and once  
10 worked as a motorcycle messenger, but sold the machine years ago and got into biking; and,

11 WHEREAS, Chris Robertson was 30 at the time of his death, and had just completed a  
12 bicycle ride from San Francisco to Los Angeles to raise money for AIDS programs; and,

13 WHEREAS, Friday, September 27 was the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Critical Mass, reminding  
14 us that so much more can be done to make streets safer for bicyclists; and,

15 WHEREAS, Additional information about Chris Robertson’s life can be found online at  
16 <http://www.laurenjo.com/chris/chris.shtml>; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors honors Chris Robertson by  
18 changing the name of 4<sup>th</sup> Street between Brannan and Third Streets “Chris Robertson Way/  
19 4<sup>th</sup> Street”; and, be it

20 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors proclaims November 17 as  
21 “Chris Robertson Day” in San Francisco.

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