

1 [Alex Long Day - July 1, 2020]

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3 **Resolution declaring July 1, 2020, Alex Long Day in the City and County of San**  
4 **Francisco.**

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6 WHEREAS, Alex Long has a long and dedicated history of volunteerism, community  
7 activism, and public service; and

8 WHEREAS, Alex began volunteering with the Board of Supervisors' District 2 office in  
9 early 2012, and since then could be found there almost every week; during that time, Alex has  
10 been a vital part of the office's constituent services program; and

11 WHEREAS, Alex became an expert in the City's bureaucracy and has used those skills  
12 to help constituents navigate government services; and

13 WHEREAS, Alex developed and implemented the office's constituent issues  
14 management system, which allows volunteers and staff to document issues and track  
15 responses from City departments quickly and efficiently, at no taxpayer expense; as the  
16 system administrator, he tailored the software to fit the needs of the office, drastically  
17 improving issue response time; and

18 WHEREAS, One of Alex's most lasting achievements is saving the 3 Jackson MUNI  
19 bus line; when he learned about the proposal to eliminate the line, which serves many  
20 seniors, he collected over 1,000 signatures to petition the Municipal Transportation Agency  
21 and brought over 100 people to public comment in opposition of the change; and

22 WHEREAS, Alex has mentored countless new volunteers and interns; in addition to  
23 sharing his immense depth of knowledge, he has gifted everyone with whom he has worked  
24 with his graciousness, patience, and thoughtful sense of organization; and

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1           WHEREAS, The residents of District 2 owe Alex a debt of gratitude for his years of  
2 service to the community; now, therefore, be it

3           RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors commends Alex Long for  
4 his tireless commitment to District 2 residents through his service and advocacy; and, be it

5           FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors declares July 1,  
6 2020, Alex Long Day in the City and County of San Francisco.

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