

1 [Commemorating the 50th Anniversary of the Korean War.]

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3 **Resolution commemorating the 50th anniversary of the Korean War.**

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5 WHEREAS, For over 90% of the 1.8 million Americans who fought in the Korean War
6 from 1950-1953, the very last image they had of the United States was San Francisco until
7 they returned home from the war; and,

8 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Bay Area was a major hub of military activity, being the
9 gateway to the Far East for all support, including processing servicemen and women
10 transiting through and sending supply ships; and,

11 WHEREAS, The Marines' Memorial Association, in coordination with the Department of
12 the Navy, and on behalf of the three Sea Services, will host the final official commemorative
13 event "The Capstone Commemoration of the Korean War, 1950-1953" to honor and
14 remember all Korean War veterans and their families on October 10, 2003 in San Francisco;
15 now, therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
17 commemorates the 50th anniversary of the Korean War.

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