

1 [Opposing Federal intervention in the collective bargaining process between the International
2 Longshore and Warehouse Union and the Pacific Maritime Association.]

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4 **Resolution opposing Federal intervention in the collective bargaining process between**
5 **the International Longshore and Warehouse Union and the Pacific Maritime**
6 **Association in San Francisco.**

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8 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Port Commission has authority to use, conduct,
9 operate, maintain, manage, regulate, improve and control the harbor of San Francisco: and

10 WHEREAS, The Federal government has announced that it may intervene in the labor
11 negotiations involving the Pacific Maritime Association and the International Longshore and
12 Warehouse Union declaring a national economic emergency in order to forestall strike or lock
13 out activity by the bargaining parties; and,

14 WHEREAS, The Federal government has further announced its intent to issue its
15 powers to intervene in the event of any stoppage of work including the use of the Taft-Hartly
16 Act, The National Guard and/or U.S. Military; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That The San Francisco Board of Supervisors denounce any such
18 Federal intervention in the collective bargaining process or the use the Federal money or
19 troops to sway the balance of power between the bargaining parties; and, be it

20 FURTHER RESOLVED, That The San Francisco Board of Supervisors in publicly
21 opposing any federal intervention, invokes the memory of the destructive results that occurred
22 sixty-eight years ago on San Francisco docks when troops were employed in the same vein.

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