Supervisors Stefani; Walton, Chan, Mandelman, Ronen, Peskin, Safai, Dorsey, Melgar, Preston, Engardio BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

[Commending Nancy Pelosi, Speaker of the United States House of Representatives]

Resolution commending Nancy Patricia Pelosi for her eight years as Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, serving nearly 20 years as Leader of the House Democratic Caucus, and 35 years of dedicated service to the City and County of San Francisco and to the United States of America.

WHEREAS, Nancy Pelosi has served as Speaker of the United States House of Representatives for a total of eight years; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi is the first woman to serve as Speaker of the House; and WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi served for nearly 20 years as Leader of the House Democratic Caucus; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi has been a dedicated representative of the City and County of San Francisco, serving nearly 35 years as a Member of the United States House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS, For the duration of her tenure, Speaker Pelosi has sponsored 159 pieces of legislation and co-sponsored 4,888 pieces, making a lasting impact on hundreds of millions of Americans; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi made combating HIV and AIDS a priority by supporting efforts to accelerate the development of an HIV vaccine, expanding access to Medicaid for people living with HIV, and increasing funding levels for various initiatives and research; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi led efforts in the House to curb gun violence by passing the Assault Weapons Ban of 2022, closing the "Boyfriend Loophole" through the Bipartisan Safer Communities Act in 2022, and was instrumental in negotiations to pass H.R. 8 - the Bipartisan Background Checks Act of 2021; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi led the House in crafting and enacting the American Rescue Plan, fighting the COVID-19 pandemic by getting vaccines to hundreds of millions of Americans, creating millions of new jobs, and investing in our country's infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi championed healthcare in the United States by passing the Affordable Care Act in the House in 2009, guaranteeing protections for all Americans with pre-existing medical conditions, forbidding insurers from treating being a woman as a pre-existing condition, and providing affordable health coverage for tens of millions of Americans; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi led the fight against climate change by passing the Inflation Reduction Act in 2022, passing the American Clean Energy and Security Act in 2009, and enacting comprehensive energy legislation that raised vehicle fuel efficiency standards in 2007; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi fought for accountability, transparency, and participation in government by enacting ethics reform legislation and creating an independent ethics panel; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi has been a champion of America's National Security by securing billions of dollars in security, economic, and humanitarian assistance for the people of Ukraine, as well as leading the effort to defeat efforts to disapprove of President Barack Obama's Iran Nuclear Agreement; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi has been a champion in the fight for full equality by leading the repeal of "Don't Ask, Don't Tell", enacting the Matthew Shepard and James Byrd, Jr. Hate Crimes Prevention Act, and passing the Equality Act, twice; and

WHEREAS, Speaker Pelosi, though her historic tenure as Speaker of the House will end, will continue to serve the City and County of San Francisco as a Member of the House of Representatives; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco hereby commends Nancy Patricia Pelosi for her outstanding legacy as Speaker of the House of Representatives.



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December 13, 2022 Board of Supervisors - CONTINUED

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Dorsey, Mandelman, Mar, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

January 24, 2023 Board of Supervisors - CONTINUED

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Dorsey, Engardio, Mandelman, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

February 14, 2023 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Dorsey, Engardio, Mandelman, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 2/14/2023 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

> Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board

London N. Breed Mayor

Date Approved