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24 25 COMMENDING BREAST CANCER ACTION ON ITS 10TH ANNIVERSARY AND

DECLARING JULY 20, 2000 "BREAST CANCER ACTION DAY" IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

WHEREAS, In 1999, one American woman was diagnosed with invasive breast cancer every three minutes; and,

WHEREAS, In 1999, 39,900 women were diagnosed with ductal carcinoma in situ, an early form of breast cancer; and,

WHEREAS, In 1999, there were 43,700 deaths in the United States from breast cancer; and,

WHEREAS, Breast Cancer Action, a grassroots organization of breast cancer survivors and their supporters, was co-founded in 1990 by Elenore Pred; and,

WHEREAS, The mission of Breast Cancer Action is to carry the voices of people affected by breast cancer to inspire and compel the changes necessary to end the breast cancer epidemic; and,

WHEREAS, BCA works with other breast cancer organizations to bring about important legislative changes on both the state and federal level; and,

WHEREAS, Breast Cancer Action advocates for true prevention through understanding and eliminating the causes of breast cancer, a true cure with treatments that don't nearly kill people or cause other diseases, and universal access to quality health care; and,

WHEREAS, Breast Cancer Action is committed to empowering women and men to participate fully in decisions about diagnosis and treatment, and to the precautionary principle of public health - first, do no harm; and,

WHEREAS, Breast Cancer Action will celebrate its 10th anniversary on July 20, 2000; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco commends Breast Cancer Action on its 10th anniversary; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board declares July 20, 2000 "Breast Cancer Action Day" in the City and County of San Francisco.



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Date Passed:

Resolution commending Breast Cancer Action on its 10th Anniversary and declaring July 20, 2000 "Breast Cancer Action Day" in the City and County of San Francisco.

July 17, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Kaufman, Leno, Yaki, Yee Absent: 3 - Katz, Newsom, Teng

File No. 001308

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on July 17, 2000 by the **Board of Supervisors of the City and County** of San Francisco.

Jean Lum

Acting Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.