[Assaults on public officials]

DECLARING THAT THE CITY OF SAN FRANCISCO WILL NOT TOLERATE ASSAULTS
ON PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND URGING THE SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT
TO INCREASE POLICE SECURITY FOR THE MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO.

WHEREAS, Several public officials in San Francisco have recently had the unfortunate and dangerous experiences of being physically assaulted or threatened with physical assault; and,

WHEREAS, The safety and security of public officials is at risk in light of these recent attacks; and,

WHEREAS, Citizens should understand that physical assaults on public officials constitute serious felonies and that there are more appropriate ways to resolve issues they face; and,

WHEREAS, Individuals who have the temerity to commit assaults on public officials should be prosecuted to the full extent of the law; and

WHEREAS, Physical assaults on public officials should not be taken lightly by the San Francisco Police Department, the citizens of San Francisco or the media; and

WHEREAS, Since the Mayor of San Francisco regularly makes public appearances and interacts with the public, the San Francisco Police Department should consider increasing security for the Mayor in view of the reprehensible and inappropriate assault he recently suffered; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors hereby declares that city of San Francisco will not tolerate assaults on public officials and urges the San Francisco Police Department to increase police security for the Mayor of San Francisco.

Supervisor Amos Brown



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## Resolution

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**Date Passed:** 

Resolution declaring that the City of San Francisco will not tolerate assaults on public officials and urging the San Francisco Police Department to increase police security for the Mayor of San Francisco.

November 16, 1998 Board of Supervisors — SEVERED FROM FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA

November 16, 1998 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Leno, Medina, Newsom, Teng, Yaki,

Yee

Absent: 1 - Kaufman

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on November 16, 1998 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young

Clerk of the Board

**Date Approved** 

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

Date: November 30, 1998

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the charter, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the charter.

Clerk of the Board

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