

1 [Supporting Janitor Workers]

2 **URGING JANITORIAL CONTRACTORS, BUILDING OWNERS AND SERVICE EMPLOYEES**
3 **INTERNATIONAL UNION LOCAL 87 TO ENTER INTO NEGOTIATIONS AND REACH A**
4 **TIMELY AND SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION.**

5 WHEREAS, San Francisco's economy and commerce is expanding at a record pace
6 and the real estate market is experiencing unprecedented revenue growth; and

7 WHEREAS, Service Employees International Union Local 87 represents over 3,500
8 janitors who clean San Francisco's downtown office buildings; and

9 WHEREAS, SEIU Local 87 janitors earn decent wages, family medical and dental
10 benefits and a comprehensive retirement plan that has assisted their families in attaining the
11 American dream; and

12 WHEREAS, Unionized janitorial work is one of the few remaining ways for people of
13 color, the disadvantaged and immigrants in San Francisco can earn a decent living; and

14 WHEREAS, SEIU Local 87, in partnership with the City and County of San Francisco's
15 Department of Human Services, have implemented a city-wide job training program to bring
16 the benefits of unionized janitorial work to the diverse communities and welfare-to-work
17 participants of San Francisco; and

18 WHEREAS, Upon successful completion of the job-training program, skilled and
19 certified applicants will have exclusive and guaranteed to industry-wide employment through
20 the union hiring hall; now, therefore, be it

21 **RESOLVED**, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
22 affirms Local 87's effort to make good jobs available to all the citizens of San Francisco; and
23 be it

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Supervisors Ammiano, Bierman, Katz

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the janitorial contractors,
2 building owners and SEIU Local 87 to use all of their resources to reach a successful
3 conclusion to their negotiations so that good janitorial jobs will be maintained and that the
4 citywide job-training program can continue and flourish; and be it

5 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urge all parties involved to
6 reach a successful and timely conclusion to their negotiations so that citywide services and
7 commerce will continue to grow and prosper to the benefit of all.

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25 **SUPERVISOR AMMIANO**



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Resolution

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Resolution urging janitorial contractors, building owners and Service Employees International Union Local 87 to enter into negotiations and reach a timely and successful conclusion.

July 19, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Yee

Absent: 3 - Newsom, Teng, Yaki

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on July 19, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

JUL 30 1999

Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.