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INTRODUCTION FORM

By a member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor



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I hereby submit the following item for introduction:
1. For reference to Committee: An ordinance, resolution, motion, or charter amendment 2. Request for next printed agenda without reference to Committee 3. Request for Committee hearing on a subject matter 4. Request for letter beginning "Supervisor inquires" 5. City Attorney request 6. Call file from Committee 7. Budget Analyst request (attach written motion). 8. Substitute Legislation File Nos. 9. Request for Closed Session 10. Board to Sit as A Committee of the Whole
Please check the appropriate boxes. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following:
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Sponsor(s): Supervisor Eric Mar and CPERVISOR WIND AVALOS
SUBJECT: Commemorating the 75 th Anniversary of the Works Progress Administration
The text is listed below or attached:
Resolution commemorating the 75 th anniversary of the Works Progress Administration on April 10, 2010
Signature of Sponsoring Supervisor
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on April 10, 2010.

largest public works program in U.S. history. The Works Progress Administration (WPA) created 8.5 million jobs during the Depression of the 1930s; and WHEREAS, Organized labor and all working people and communities need to mark

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WHEREAS, 75 years ago, on April 8, 1935, Congress passed legislation creating the

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the 75th anniversary of the creation of the WPA by telling the government that today's jobless crisis is as bad as today as it was back then. We need the same kind of bold, sweeping jobs program that the people demanded in the 1930s; and

WHEREAS, Martin Luther King Jr. dedicated the final months of his life to starting a movement for the right of all to a job or guaranteed income – and we need that movement now more than ever; and

WHEREAS, What we have now is at best a jobless recovery ... an economy based on permanent high unemployment and low wages ... a political and economic system that provides trillions of dollars for Wall Street, and trillions of dollars for war but nothing for large numbers of workers and the poor, who are facing joblessness, foreclosures, evictions, layoffs, low wages, hunger and homelessness; and

WHEREAS, There are more than 20 million unemployed and underemployed people in the country today. We need a real WPA-type program that is big enough to ensure that those who need work get work – work that is socially useful and which pays union wages and benefits – a real jobs program fully funded by the government; and

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WHEREAS, A national labor/community protest will take place on Saturday, April 10, 2010 in Washington, D.C., commemorating the 75th anniversary of the WPA and demanding enactment of a similar bold, sweeping public jobs program today; and

WHEREAS, The issue of jobs is on the front burner: all it needs is a flame. The April 10th commemoration of the WPA's 75th anniversary is consistent with the AFL-CIO's 5-point JOBS Plan. April 10th would be a great stepping stone for a possible labor-led Solidarity Day III march on Washington in the fall of 2010, demanding that a real jobs program like the WPA be enacted today; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors endorses the April 10, 2010 national demonstration in Washington DC, commemorating the 75th anniversary of the WPA, a part of the largest public works program in history, which created 8.5 million jobs during the Depression of the 1930s, and demands enactment of a similar bold sweeping jobs program today.