As Amended in Board 4/20/10

FILE NO. 100264

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RESOLUTION NO.

1	[Urging Lennar Corporation to Issue a Formal, Written Apology]
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3	Resolution urging the Lennar Corporation to issue a formal, written apology to
4	members of the Stop Lennar Action Movement and the City and County of San
5	Francisco for irresponsible and potentially dangerous behavior.
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7	WHEREAS, The Lennar Corporation is a contracted entity with the City and County of
8	San Francisco; and
9	WHEREAS, On February 18, 2010, the Stop Lennar Action Movement (SLAM)
10	convened a peaceful, non-violent community meeting at the Center for Self Improvement in
11	Bayview Hunters Point where the Lennar Corporation sent a member of its private security to
12	attend the community meeting; and
13	WHEREAS, The informational meeting was intended to provide impartial information
14	from a world renowned scientist on the potential impacts of one of the largest development
15	projects in San Francisco's history; and
16	WHEREAS, Wilma Subra, an internationally renowned environmental scientist, a
17	recipient of the 1999 MacArthur Fellowship Award, and a member of more than 30 EPA and
18	environmental committees since 1989, was brought to San Francisco by the Environmenta
19	Protection Agency District 9, and met with members of the Board of Supervisors earlier that
20	day; and
21	WHEREAS, A member of Lennar's private security brought a loaded firearm into a
22	peaceful, multi-racial, intergenerational assembly of community members including more than
23	200 community activists, San Francisco Unified School District principals and teachers, Board
24	members from the Community Colleges of San Francisco, at least 3 candidates for District 10

Supervisor, clergypersons from all denominations throughout San Francisco, federal

1	government employees, representatives of the Environmental Protection Agency District 9
2	environmentalists, children, mothers, and elderly persons, placing them in great potentia
3	danger; and
4	WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco does not condone violence of any
5	sort, in particular gun violence; and
6	WHEREAS, The act by the Lennar Corporation of sending one of its representatives
7	into a peaceful, non-violent community meeting with a loaded firearm sends a message to the
8	community members of Bayview Hunters Point that is contrary to the values of the City and
9	County of San Francisco, which uphold the right to organize and assemble peacefully; and
10	WHEREAS, The act of bringing a loaded firearm into a peaceful, non-violent meeting
11	threatened the safety of a peaceful, multi-racial, intergenerational assembly of more than 200
12	community members; and
13	WHEREAS, The possession of a loaded firearm requires the carrier to possess and
14	carry on their person the required permits; and
15	WHEREAS, The person in question sent by the Lennar Corporation did not make
16	visible to the general public said permits, which are required by law; and
17	WHEREAS, The extent to which the Lennar Corporation has contracted out security
18	services for its operations in San Francisco is unknown; and
19	WHEREAS, The Lennar Corporation has used its public relations machine to condone
20	their unconscionable actions in local news outlets, which sends a message to Sar
21	Franciscans that Lennar believes itself to be exempt from its responsibility to positively
22	represent its relationship to the City and County of San Francisco; now, therefore, be it
23	RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors calls upon the Lennar
24	Corporation to issue a formal, written apology to members of the Bayview Hunter's Point
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1	Community, Stop Lennar Action Movement (SLAM), and the City and County of San
2	Francisco for irresponsible and potentially dangerous behavior: and, be it
3	FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors calls upon the
4	Lennar Corporation to disclose the extend, the nature and the number personnel of its
5	security services in the City and County of San Francisco.
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