

1 [Commending Al Hart]

2 RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING AL HART FOR HIS EXCELLENT  
3 CONTRIBUTIONS TO JOURNALISM AND CONGRATULATING HIM ON THE  
4 OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT FROM KCBS RADIO.

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7 WHEREAS, On June 2, KCBS news anchor Al Hart will retire from  
8 broadcasting after 52 years in the business, having spent the last 34 years as  
9 the leading voice at KCBS All News 74; and

10 WHEREAS, Al Hart studied journalism and broadcasting at the University  
11 of Minnesota before starting his career at WOBT in Wisconsin; and

12 WHEREAS, First hired at KCBS in 1966 as the producer of "McElhatton in  
13 the Morning," Al Hart became a news anchor in 1968, taking over the top  
14 morning slot in 1976; and

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16 WHEREAS, Since then, Al Hart has been "the voice" of KCBS, widely  
17 respected as a straightforward professional who delivers the news with warmth  
18 and sincerity; and

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20 WHEREAS, Al Hart is a winner of the Lifetime Achievement Award from  
21 the Society of Professional Journalists and he has been a key part of a news  
22 team that has won every major national broadcasting honor in the last decade,  
23 including a Peabody, duPont-Columbia, Sigma Delta Chi and National Headliner  
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Award, and two Edward R. Murrow Awards for Overall Excellence in Broadcast  
Journalism; and

**WHEREAS**, Al Hart will be missed by KCBS and his 600,000 plus weekly  
listeners; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San  
Francisco recognizes and commends Al Hart for his excellent contributions to  
journalism and congratulates him on the occasion of his retirement from KCBS  
Radio; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
County of San Francisco declares June 2, 2000 to be "Al Hart Day" in San  
Francisco.

**SUPERVISOR KAUFMAN**

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**



# City and County of San Francisco

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### Resolution

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**File Number:** 000973

**Date Passed:**

Resolution recognizing and commending Al Hart for his excellent contributions to journalism and congratulating him on the occasion of his retirement from KCBS Radio.

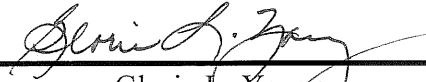
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May 30, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom,  
Teng, Yee  
Absent: 1 - Yaki

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on May 30, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



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Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved



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Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.