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[Grand Jury Awareness Month]

Resolution declaring February 2008 as Civil Grand Jury Awareness month in San Francisco.

WHEREAS, Grand juries are crucial components of California's justice system which rely on the participation of citizens to function efficiently and justly; and

WHEREAS, California's Constitution empowers civil grand juries to oversee local government; and

WHEREAS, Every county's grand jury is made up of individuals who have been selected by the county's Superior Court; and

WHEREAS, Grand juries are sworn in by a Superior Court judge and dedicate their time for a full calendar year to help to ensure that our local governments are operating both efficiently and legally; and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco civil grand jury continues to serve as the City and County watchdog and many citizens from all walks of life volunteer their time; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors commends both the present and past grand jurors for their devotion to clean and transparent government and encourages all eligible citizens to consider volunteering for the grand jury; now, therefore, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors in recognition for the significant contributions of this uniquely democratic California institution, hereby proclaims February 2008 as Grand Jury Awareness Month in San Francisco.



City and County of San Francisco

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Date Passed:

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February 12, 2008 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Maxwell, Mirkarimi, Peskin


Absent: 2 - McGoldrick, Sandoval

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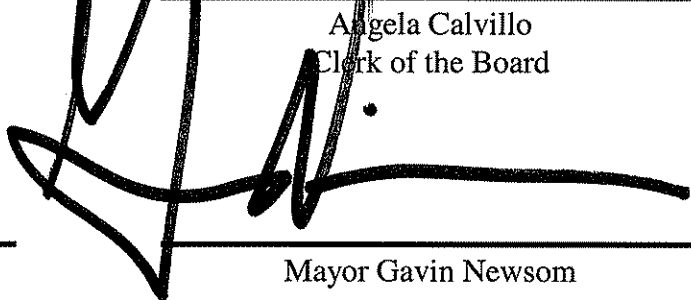
I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on February 12, 2008 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

2-15-08

Date Approved



Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board



Mayor Gavin Newsom