

1 [Commending SF Patients Resource Center]
2 COMMENDING THE SAN FRANCISCO PATIENTS RESOURCE CENTER ON ITS FIRST
3 ANNIVERSARY OF PROVIDING COMPASSIONATE CARE TO SAN FRANCISCANS WHO
4 USE MEDICAL CANNABIS TO ALLEVIATE PAIN AND SUFFERING FROM SERIOUS
5 ILLNESSES.

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7 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Patients Resource Center (SFPRC) is a cooperative
8 formed by patients in the medical cannabis community last August 24, 1999; and,

9 WHEREAS, SFPRC's mission is to serve patients without regard to lifestyle, ethnicity,
10 sex, religion, appearance or income who qualify to use medical cannabis under Proposition
11 215, California's Compassionate Use Act, and suffer from serious and debilitating illnesses
12 such as HIV/AIDS, cancer, leukemia, epilepsy, multiple sclerosis, diabetes, anxiety,
13 depression, glaucoma, and others; and,

14 WHEREAS, SFPRC hosts a medical cannabis consortium of California providers,
15 dispensaries, and legal aid organizations to assist individuals who have conflicts with law
16 enforcement; and,

17 WHEREAS, The staff and volunteers at SFPRC played an active role in advocating for
18 the new Medical Cannabis ID Card program now up and running at San Francisco's
19 Department of Public Health and work effectively with the St. Martin de Porres Dispensary to
20 ensure the rights of qualified patients to safe access to medical cannabis; and,

21 WHEREAS, SFPRC serves approximately 150 patients every day of the year and
22 promises to continue and expand its good work in the future; now, therefore be it

23 RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco Board of Supervisors hereby
24 commends the San Francisco Patients Resource Center on its first anniversary of providing
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1 compassionate care to San Franciscans who use medical cannabis to alleviate pain and
2 suffering from serious illnesses.

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Resolution

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Date Passed:

Resolution commending the San Francisco Patients Resource Center on its first anniversary of providing compassionate care to San Franciscans who use medical cannabis to alleviate pain and suffering from serious illnesses.

August 28, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng, Yaki, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on August 28, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.