

1 [Sylvia McLaughlin Commendation]

2 **COMMENDING SYLVIA McLAUGHLIN FOR HER TIRELESS EFFORTS TO**
3 **SAVE THE BAY.**

4 WHEREAS, Sylvia McLaughlin is stepping down after four decades on the Board
5 of Directors of Save San Francisco Bay Association; and,

6 WHEREAS, Sylvia McLaughlin helped found the Save San Francisco Bay
7 Association at the birth of the Save-the-Bay movement; and,

8 WHEREAS, A map released by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers outlining what
9 the Bay would look like with 70% filled by 2020, inspired Sylvia McLaughlin to lobby
10 the California Legislature to pass a Save-the-Bay bill; and,

11 WHEREAS, Her efforts, along with the efforts of the other "Tea Ladies" led to
12 the passage in 1969 of the McAteer-Petris Act which created the Bay Conservation and
13 Development Commission (BCDC); and,

14 WHEREAS, The BCDC is a regional agency that limits filling and other activities
15 along the shoreline; and,

16 WHEREAS, Sylvia McLaughlin's dedication to the Bay has put her at the
17 forefront of what has grown into a nationally recognized movement to preserve San
18 Francisco Bay's open waters, wetlands, wildlife and water quality; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San
20 Francisco thank Sylvia McLaughlin and commend her for her many year's of dedication
21 to saving the San Francisco Bay.

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Supervisors Katz, Newsom, Yee, Leno, Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman,
Brown, Kaufman, Teng, Yaki



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Resolution commending Sylvia McLaughlin for her tireless efforts to Save The Bay.

May 15, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Leno, Yaki, Yee
Absent: 3 - Kaufman, Newsom, Teng

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on May 15, 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.