

1 [Commending The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP)]
2 COMMENDING THE EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (TEFAP) AND THE
3 EFFORTS OF THE SAN FRANCISCO FOOD BANK AGENCY AND THEIR DEDICATED
4 STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS FOR ALL THEIR HARD WORK AND COMMITMENT TO
5 ENDING HUNGER.

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7 WHEREAS, The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP), a federal hunger
8 relief program, works by providing each State with a set amount of government-purchased
9 commodities to address the needs of the hungry throughout our Nation; and,

10 WHEREAS, TEFAP in California is administered through an innovative partnership
11 between the United States Department of Agriculture, the California Department of Social
12 Services, California Emergency Foodlink and local emergency food distribution agencies, like
13 the San Francisco Food Bank; and,

14 WHEREAS, This partnership has made California's TEFAP program an award-winning
15 model for the Nation. In addition to enabling California's poor to receive millions more pounds
16 of food than would have otherwise been available, this innovative partnership has won
17 national recognition from the United States Department of Agriculture, the Peter Drucker
18 Foundation for Non-Profit Management, the Congressional Hunger Center, the Kennedy
19 School of Government and the World Hunger Year; and

20 WHEREAS, In federal fiscal year 1998-99, 66,521,667 pounds of food were distributed
21 Statewide through the TEFAP network, the San Francisco Food Bank receiving 1,324,623
22 pounds from TEFAP and 732,812 pounds from California Emergency Foodlink's Donate-
23 Don't Dump, totaling 2,057,435 pounds of food made available to the poor in San Francisco;
24 and

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1 WHEREAS, To date in the 1999-2000 federal fiscal year, the TEFAP network has
2 distributed 48,722,196 pounds of food, with 1,381,391 pounds going to San Francisco
3 County; and

4 WHEREAS, It is anticipated that, through the TEFAP network, an additional 500,000
5 pounds of food will be delivered to San Francisco County by the end of September; now,
6 therefore be it

7 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the people of the City and
8 County of San Francisco, commends The Emergency Food Assistance Program and the San
9 Francisco Food Bank and their dedicated staff and volunteers for all their hard work and
10 commitment to ending hunger.



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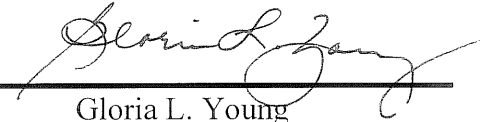
Resolution commending The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) and the efforts of the San Francisco Food Bank Agency and the dedicated staff and volunteers for all their hard work and commitment to ending hunger.

July 24, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

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

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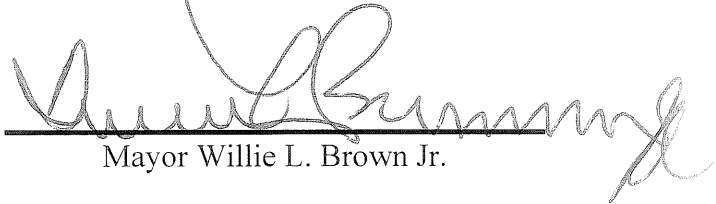
I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on July 24, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

AUG - 3 2000

Date Approved



Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.