

1 [FUF 20th Anniversary]

2 Commending the Friends of the Urban Forest on their 20th
3 Anniversary.

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5 WHEREAS, Friends of the Urban Forest (FUF) is a community
6 based organization which works in partnership with neighbors,
7 community groups, businesses and city government to expand and
8 maintain San Francisco's urban forest; and,

9 WHEREAS, FUF was founded in 1981 by a group of dedicated
10 tree planters who sought to alleviate the severe impact of deep
11 municipal budget cuts that had forced the Department of Public
12 Works to drastically reduce its street tree-planting program;
13 and,

14 WHEREAS, FUF has planted over 33,000 street trees
15 throughout every part of San Francisco, representing one third
16 of all of San Francisco's street trees; and,

17 WHEREAS, FUF's Emily Prettyman Lowell Award recognizes an
18 individual or group for outstanding contributions to San
19 Francisco's urban forest, with past winners including the
20 Sunnydale Tree Planters, the Friends of Islais Creek, and the
21 Sheriff Department's Tree Corps; and,

22 WHEREAS, FUF's Youth Tree Care Program has taught low-
23 income teens about trees and encouraged them to investigate
24 urban forestry as a career; and,

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WHEREAS, FUF organizes Tree Care Days and Workshops, Volunteer Training, Tree Tours of the City's Neighborhoods and a School Program that have become a way for San Franciscans to participate in the beautification of the City; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco commends Friends of the Urban Forest on their 20th Anniversary.



City and County of San Francisco

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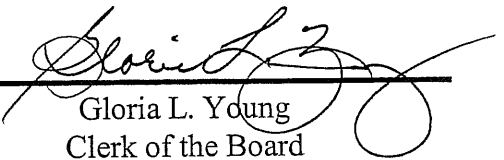
Resolution commending the Friends of the Urban Forest on their 20th anniversary.

March 5, 2001 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick,
Newsom, Peskin, Sandoval, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution
was ADOPTED on March 5, 2001 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.