

1 [Commending the Alzheimer's Association]

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7 WHEREAS, Alzheimer's is a devastating disease that causes a steady decline in
8 memory and results in dementia and loss of brain function that interferes with everyday life;
9 and,

10 WHEREAS, The Alzheimer's Association is the leading national voice for people
11 debilitated by Alzheimer's, a disease that prevents them from advocating for themselves; and,

12 WHEREAS, Their mission is to create a world without Alzheimer's disease and to
13 enhance the lives of those who live with it; and,

14 WHEREAS, The association provided over \$16 million dollars in research support and
15 is the largest private funder of Alzheimer's research; and,

16 WHEREAS, Because of skyrocketing health care and health care research costs, the
17 disease cost American businesses over \$61 billion last year—double what is cost four years
18 ago; and,

19 WHEREAS, The Alzheimer's Association of Northern California is hosting a Memory
20 Walk on October 12, 2002 to increase awareness and raise money to fight this debilitating
21 disease; now, therefore be it

22 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
23 hereby commends the Alzheimer's Association for their dedication to both improving the lives
24 of those living with Alzheimer's and supporting research to combat this disease and declares
25 October 12th "Alzheimer's Association Day in San Francisco."

Supervisor Leno

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October 7, 2002 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick,
Newsom, Peskin, Sandoval
Absent: 1 - Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 7, 2002 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

Date Approved