

1 [Condemning the federal raid in the immigrant community.]

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3 **Resolution urging the Federal Bureau of Investigations and the Immigrations and**
4 **Customs Enforcement to send a well-publicized message to the immigrant community**
5 **in San Francisco that INS raids will not be pursued in immigrant communities.**

6 WHEREAS, On May sixth the FBI and the Immigration and Customs Enforcement, the
7 enforcement arm of the former INS conducted a raid on the Sunrise Hotel a residential hotel
8 populated mostly by Mexican and Central American immigrants; and

9 WHEREAS, Although federal agents were searching for one individual, seven Mexicans
10 nationals and two South East Asians were promptly taken into custody with the Mexican
11 nationals being promptly deported; and

12 WHEREAS, No access to legal council was provided and the Mexican nationals did not
13 have access to a hearing or their case reviewed by a judge; and

14 WHEREAS, The impacts of the undercount have been devastating, including: political
15 under-representation of immigrants, poor people, the homeless, and people of color; lack of
16 funding for services; and fewer resources being allocated to San Francisco than needed by
17 the City's residents; and

18 WHEREAS, Trusted and well-known community organizations and community
19 members can play a major role by employing comprehensive outreach strategies to inform
20 immigrants that they have rights and resources at their disposal; and

21 WHEREAS, The fear of INS enforcement affects many immigrant communities and
22 individuals of every legal status, including United States citizens who may have undocumented
23 family members; now, therefore, be it

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25 SUPERVISOR TOM AMMIANO, BEVAN DUFTY, CHRIS DALY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco urges the San Francisco District of the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) to send a well-publicized message to the immigrant community in San Francisco that INS raids will not be pursued in immigrant communities; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Federal Government should not spend valuable resources on targeting hardworking immigrants, and when immigrants are taken into custody that access to legal council will be provided and access to a hearing and/or their case reviewed by a judge.



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May 25, 2004 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

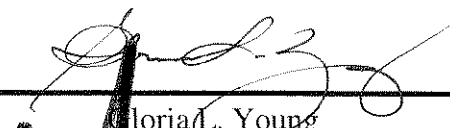
Ayes: 10 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Gonzalez, Ma, Maxwell,
McGoldrick, Peskin, Sandoval
Excused: 1 - Hall

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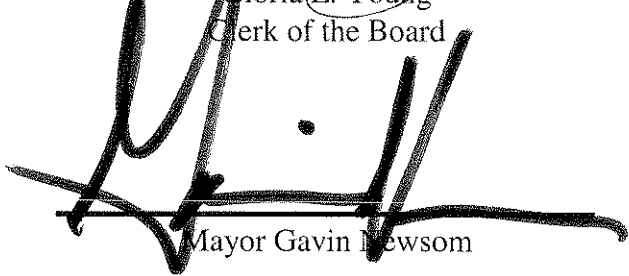
I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on May 25, 2004 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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Date Approved



Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board



Mayor Gavin Newsom