

1 [Resolution honoring Jim Tate.]  
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3 **Resolution honoring Jim Tate for his years of service and his deep compassion for**  
4 **those in need.**  
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6 WHEREAS, Jim has worked in Community Behavioral Health Services for 24 years  
7 and has served for seven years as the Director of the Mobile Support Treatment Team  
8 (MOST), providing outreach and services to people suffering from severe mental illness and  
9 chronic homelessness; and  
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11 WHEREAS, Jim is a caring, compassionate sweetheart of a man who has dedicated  
12 his career to helping people in the toughest circumstances; and

13 WHEREAS, Jim, after decades of doing this difficult work, still connects with clients in  
14 a personal and engaging way; and

15 WHEREAS, Jim sees his clients as people faced with possibilities, rather than  
16 hopelessness; and

17 WHEREAS, Jim's commitment to client empowerment shapes all his interactions,  
18 inspiring people to reach for their best and discover hidden capabilities; and

19 WHEREAS, Jim has a remarkable gift for knowing when to push for progress and  
20 when to slow down to build trust; and

21 WHEREAS, in the words of a former client, "Jim gives you too much respect to  
22 disrespect him;" and

23 WHEREAS, Jim postponed his retirement for more than three years in order to begin  
24 the AB 2034 Project and make it a success; and  
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1           WHEREAS, Jim was key to San Francisco developing best practices for outreach  
2 work, including the creation of a vigorous Consumer Advisory Board which was an integral  
3 part of his Project; and

4           WHEREAS, Jim's staff and program were featured in the outstanding KQED-TV  
5 documentary, "Hope on the Streets;" and

6           WHEREAS, Jim has lifted up so many San Franciscans' in their time of crisis and  
7 need; now therefore,

8           BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San  
9 Francisco hereby honors Jim Tate for his career of service and his deep commitment to  
10 helping those in need.



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## Tails Resolution

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September 28, 2004 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED


Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Gonzalez, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin, Sandoval

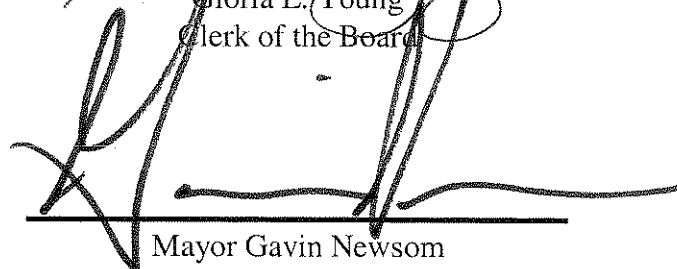
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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on September 28, 2004 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

SEP 30 2004

**Date Approved**

  
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 Gloria L. Young  
 Clerk of the Board

  
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 Mayor Gavin Newsom