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## **RESOLUTION NO. 120-24**

[Lucille Cuttler Day - March 17, 2024]

Resolution honoring the transformative educational legacy of Lucille Cuttler and declaring March 17, 2024, as Lucille Cuttler Day in the City and County of San Francisco in celebration of her 100th Birthday.

WHEREAS, Lucille Cuttler originally hailed from New York City, but quickly settled in the West Portal neighborhood in San Francisco bringing along her teaching expertise (as well as an impressive collection of brightly colored berets); and

WHEREAS, Lucille founded Project Literacy/Outreach in 1986 training volunteers with science-based methodology to support the unmet need of students who went to school, but were never taught how to read; and

WHEREAS, Lucille was named the 2003 New York State Senate Woman of Distinction for her founding of the inspirational non-profit and for her leadership of the Friends of the Glen Cove Library; and

WHEREAS, Even upon her move to San Francisco, Lucille continued to seek opportunities to give back and quickly became known for her lifelong passion and advocacy for scientific literacy that helps all learners; and

WHEREAS, Lucille spent her time serving as a dedicated volunteer consultant to the San Francisco Public Library and tutoring the community in literacy; and

WHEREAS, Lucille has been highly regarded in the community for her promotion of literacy and even now supporting the Northern California Branch of the International Dyslexic Association; and

WHEREAS, Lucille Cuttler has dedicated her life to advocating and promoting literacy for all through her work with public education and health; and

Supervisor Melgar BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WHEREAS, Lucille contributes to various causes regularly sometimes in increments of \$18, which has a spiritual significance in Judaism that means "life;" and

WHEREAS, Lucille was once even given an award at the Oasis Nightclub for her impressive evocation of Willie Nelson at the Dandy Drag King Show; and

WHEREAS, Lucille's generous heart and zest for life brings joy and enrichment to everyone she encounters; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco celebrates the 100th birthday of Lucille Cuttler and recognizes March 17, 2024, as "Lucille Cuttler Day " in San Francisco.

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March 12, 2024 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Chan, Dorsey, Engardio, Mandelman, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Safai, Stefani and Walton Excused: 1 - Ronen

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 3/12/2024 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board

Unsigned

London N. Breed Mayor 03/22/2024

Date Approved

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the Charter, or time waived pursuant to Board Rule 2.14.2, became effective without her approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter or Board Rule 2.14.2.

Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board

03/22/2024

Date