Resolution

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING

HOWARD MASON

WHEREAS, on this 12th day of November, two thousand and three, HOWARD MASON is honored for his twenty-six years of loyal and dedicated community service and upon his retirement from the office of City Treasurer for the City of Belmont; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD MASON was a founder of the Finance Commission in 1977 and served as Commissioner until November 1995, providing the City of Belmont with exceptional counsel in the area of financial management best practices; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD MASON was elected City Treasurer, served two terms from November 1995 through November 2003, was recognized by the California Municipal Treasurers Association for his unquestionable competency, accomplishments and leadership in this field, served as Division Chair and was bestowed the designation of "California Certified Municipal Treasurer"; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD MASON has brought respect, honor, and integrity to the City of Belmont, the office of City Treasurer and the Finance Commission by leading by example, exhibiting the highest level of ethics and maintaining a superior moral character; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD MASON volunteered numerous hours, incurred personal sacrifice and exhibited outstanding community spirit in his service, acting as an agent of change, while maintaining a demeanor that made working with him a pleasure; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD MASON imparted knowledge and wisdom to those he mentored, compassion and selflessness to those in need, and inspiration and encouragement to those he led; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD MASON's unwavering commitment, willingness and ability to understand and respond to the concerns of the people of Belmont has made a substantial contribution to the betterment of the City of Belmont,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County extend their congratulations to HOWARD MASON upon his retirement from the office of the City Treasurer for the City of Belmont and best wishes for his continued success.

DATED: November 12, 2003

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Attest: Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors