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Resolution Condemning the Raid on Journalist Bryan Carmody's Home and Office in Connection with the Leak of the Adachi Police Report

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Whereas freedom of the press, including the ability of journalists to gather and publish information without interference or intimidation at the hands of government officials, is crucial to a free society;

Whereas the California Shield Law provides legal protections to journalists seeking to maintain the confidentiality of an unnamed source or unpublished information obtained during news-gathering; and

Whereas on Friday May 10, 2019, the San Francisco police raided journalist Bryan Carmody's home and office where they seized check stubs, CDs, USB drives, computers, cell phones and notebooks in an attempt to discover the source of a leaked confidential report on Public Defender Jeff Adachi's death; be it

Resolved, that the Libertarian Party of San Francisco (LPSF):

1. condemns the raid; and
2. demands that the confiscated items be returned immediately to Mr. Carmody.

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