

RESOLUTION NO. 215316

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WHEREAS, Central America and Guatemala were devastated by a massive earthquake on Wednesday, February 4, 1976, resulting in the greatest disaster in recorded history in Central America; and

WHEREAS, the casualty toll in Guatemala may be as high as 20,000 dead and 55,000 injured; and

WHEREAS, the residents of Tijuana have experienced major flooding and disastrous mudslides leaving thousands of our neighbors homeless; and

WHEREAS, relief agencies in San Diego, including the Red Cross, the Salvation Army, the Catholic Diocese, and citizen band radio operators are collecting money and goods for the relief of the victims of the disasters to the south; and

WHEREAS, San Diegans who are celebrating America's bicentennial birthday this year may make tax deductible contributions earmarked for either Guatemalan or Mexican disaster relief through these agencies; and

WHEREAS, San Diegans have always generously responded when those who are less fortunate have needed assistance;
NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, as follows:

That the month of February, 1976 is hereby declared to be

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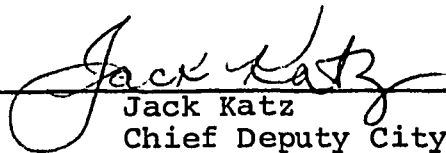
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"LATIN AMERICAN DISASTER RELIEF MONTH" in San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council urges the citizens of San Diego to give generously to help ease the suffering of their neighbors to the south in the wake of tragic earthquakes and floods.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

BY



Jack Katz
Chief Deputy City Attorney

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Or.Dept.: Mayor

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Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on ,
by the following vote:

Councilmen	Yeas	Nays	Excused	Absent
Gil Johnson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maureen F. O'Connor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lee Hubbard	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leon L. Williams	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Floyd L. Morrow	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tom Gade	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jim Ellis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jess D. Haro	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mayor Pete Wilson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AUTHENTICATED BY:

PETE WILSON

Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

EDWARD NIELSEN

City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

(Seal)

By *Kathleen Martinez*, Deputy.

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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