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WHEREAS, Mrs. Minnie Green was struck from behind by a speeding car while she was driving to work at 5:30 a.m. on September 3, 1976; and

WHEREAS, the driver of the speeding car was uninsured and died shortly thereafter from injuries sustained; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Green's car burst into flames and was demolished; and

WHEREAS, Minnie Green was severely injured, having been burned over most of her body and having had amputated, in efforts to save her life, both legs above the knees and left arm above the elbow, and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Green also, as result of this terrible and unfortunate accident, had to have the tips of the fingers of her right hand removed; and

WHEREAS, in spite of all this physical trauma, she is reported to be in good spirits and determined to return to work in order to care and provide for her four children; and

WHEREAS, such efforts on her part have and will continue to exact tremendous costs in courage and money; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Green has demonstrated a degree of courage above and beyond that reasonably to be expected of most human beings; and

WHEREAS, she has, through this display of great courage and unbending faith, epitomized the fabric of love, human kindness and determination upon which this country was founded and ideally should exist; and

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WHEREAS, on December 13, 1976, a group of individuals and organization representatives met to discuss the possibility of organizing a Community Minnie Green Fund Raising Effort; and

WHEREAS, twenty-one organizations have, to date, committed themselves to some specific fund-raising action during the week commencing February 12, 1977; and

WHEREAS, the courage of Minnie Green and the generous outpouring of love and help by the community deserve recognition by this Council on behalf of all citizens of this wonderful City of San Diego; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That this Council, for and on behalf of itself and the citizens of the City of San Diego, does hereby declare the period of February 12 through February 20, 1977 as Minnie Green Week.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

Jack Katz

Chief Deputy City Attorney

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Or.Dept.: Councilman Williams

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