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RESOLUTION NO. 218617

**JUN 15 1977**

WHEREAS, the recent activities of Ku Klux Klan members at Camp Pendleton in Oceanside has shocked the sensibilities and consciences of all San Diegans; and

WHEREAS, Klan activity seems to be on the increase as a result of the Pendleton incidences and has spread to nearby Oceanside and the City of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, a cross burning in Oceanside on September 14, 1976, has been followed by threatening letters from the KKK to Black employees at the University of California--San Diego and night rider incidents in Paradise Hills on April 5 and 14, 1977; and

WHEREAS, every citizen of the City of San Diego has the right to live securely in his community and the City has the obligation to protect its citizens from the threat of violence and racism; NOW, THEREFORE,

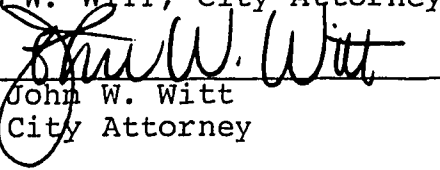
BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that it call upon appropriate Congressional committees to begin an immediate and independent investigation of the racism at Camp Pendleton; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council deplores and will not tolerate violent activities such as those committed by the Klan against San Diego citizens on account of their race or religion; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council hereby directs that the City Manager inform the Council no later than thirty (30) days from the date of this resolution on the extent of Ku Klux Klan activity within the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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John W. Witt  
City Attorney

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Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on JUN 15 1977  
 by the following vote:

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AUTHENTICATED BY:

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 Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

EDWARD NIELSEN  
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By Kathleen Martinez, Deputy.

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