

RESOLUTION NO.

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WHEREAS, the beaches and beach areas of the City of San Diego are among our community's most precious resource providing recreational facilities for citizens and out-of-area visitors alike; and

WHEREAS, dog owners who take their animals on City beaches and other City areas in violation of existing ordinances foster a serious health and safety problem for public authorities; and

WHEREAS, The City of San Diego, acting through the County Department of Animal Control, has recently completed a \$25,000, two-month long program of stepped-up enforcement of animal regulations in City beach areas resulting in a large number of citations presently being processed through our municipal courts; and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the City Council that the only meaningful way to educate both dog owners who violate these laws and the public, is vigorous enforcement of these ordinances by all levels of our system of law enforcement; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that the judges of the Municipal Court of the San Diego Judicial District are hereby requested to enforce existing ordinances relating to animal control on City beaches and other areas upon a plea or finding of guilty by imposing fines and other appropriate sanctions rather than merely suspending the imposition of the sentence in order to deter a repetition of the offense by those charged as well as by others and so that all citizens of our City can continue to enjoy our beaches and their facilities to the fullest.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By

David W. Ryan
David W. Ryan, Deputy

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by the following vote:

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Lee Hubbard	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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AUTHENTICATED BY:

PETE WILSON
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By *Allyn D. Newitt* Deputy.

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