WHEREAS, during the morning of Monday, January 29, 1979, rifle shots were fired by a sniper into the schoolyard of Cleveland Elementary School in San Carlos as hundreds of children were arriving for classes; and

WHEREAS, several children were injured and the principal of the school was mortally wounded in the first volley of shots; and

WHEREAS, MR. MICHAEL SUCHAR, Building Maintenance Supervisor at Cleveland Elementary School, ran to the aid of the injured in an area in front of the school which was exposed to gunfire; and

WHEREAS, MR. SUCHAR was shot and mortally wounded as he leaned over to help the principal, who had been felled by the sniper's shots; and .

WHEREAS, MR. SUCHAR'S quick action and self-sacrifice greatly reduced the number of casualties during this tragic incident; and

WHEREAS, the faculty and students of Cleveland Elementary have highly praised MR. SUCHAR'S capability, dedication and desire to help others in his duties at the school; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of San Diego expresses its deep admiration and appreciation for the career and heroic final actions of

## Michael Suchar

and extends its heartfelt sympathy to his family on behalf of the people of San Diego.

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