RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 263694 (R-86-42 2ND REV.)
ADOPTED ON JUL 16 1985

WHEREAS, The City of San Diego experienced a devastating fire in Normal Heights on June 30, 1985; and

WHEREAS, this fire was the worst in the City's history; and WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon the City to exert every effort to avoid such a fire again in the future; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council hereby establishes the Canyon Rim Fire Prevention Ad Hoc Task Force to:

- Review program for brush removal on public and private property;
- 2. Report on the potential fire hazards in the City's open space areas;
- 3. Investigate new programs and recommend Council action to minimize fire hazards in open space areas;
- 4. Review state of the art canyon firefighting techniques;
- 5. Make inquiries of other governmental agencies to determine the availability of surplus equipment;
- 6. Review expansion of public information programs to increase public awareness of canyon fire danger;
- 7. Examine other subject areas as appropriate which will assist the City in preventing fire such as Normal Heights in the future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council hereby appoints Councilwoman Gloria McColl as Chairperson of said Ad Hoc Task Force and directs the City Manager to provide appropriate staff assistance.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Director of the Planning Department and the City Attorney are also requested to participate with the Ad Hoc Task Force as may be necessary.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that other members of the Task Force are to include, but not be limited to representatives from the following areas: California Division of Forestry; County Agricultural Agent; Roofing Contractors Association; California Conservation Corps; the Insurance Industry; Sierra Club; Taxpayers Association; State Department of Fish and Game; CalTrans; San Diego State University Department of Biology; and Moto Asakawa, Landscape Architect.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Ad Hoc Task Force is directed to report to the Public Services and Safety Committee as may be necessary but, no later than three (3) months from the establishment of said Task Force.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Jack Katz, Chief Deputy

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(Seal)	•	CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California. By Carbase Cauter, Deputy.		
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