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WHEREAS, from the onset of our country, small business has been the cornerstone of the free enterprise system; and

WHEREAS, there are more than 57,000 small businesses operating in San Diego County representing 98% of the firms and employing more than 500,000 San Diegans; and

WHEREAS, small businesses train two-thirds of all new workers and thus bear the major responsibility of training a large portion of San Diego's work force; and

WHEREAS, small businesses provide an important avenue of opportunity for women and minorities, and more women and ethnic minorities are turning to small business for their livelihood; and

WHEREAS, San Diego has recently been announced as one of the ten best places in the United States to start a new business; and

WHEREAS, the imagination, skills and willingness of small business men and women to take necessary risks symbolize the free enterprise foundation and must be encouraged, supported and nurtured; and

WHEREAS, the economic health of San Diego depends, on large measure, on the prospects of small business; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council calls on the State of California and the United States Small Business Administration to establish a Small

Business Development Center (SBDC) in the San Diego area and release budgeted funds for such center to serve the vital needs of small businesses in San Diego as rapidly as possible.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be forwarded to the officials listed in Exhibit A, attached hereto, encouraging appropriate steps to be taken to ensure San Diego's participation in this worthwhile, essential program.

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