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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 275031

ADOPTED ON JAN 22 1990

WHEREAS, Camp Pendleton was established as a Marine Corps training base in 1942 and continues to function effectively in that role; and

WHEREAS, Camp Pendleton is a 125,000 acre property which provides an open space buffer between San Diego and the rapidly developing communities to the north; and

WHEREAS, the facility further provides a valuable wildlife refuge for many rare and endangered species including the California Least Tern and the Light Footed Clapper Rail; and

WHEREAS, Camp Pendleton includes such valuable natural resources as the Santa Margarita River and estuary, the Santa Margarita Mountains, and a seventeen mile ocean front; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Marine Corps has consistently undertaken to protect this valuable resource and no current federal law provides for an alternate caretaker should national defense policy call for the vacation of Camp Pendleton as a Marine Corps training base; and

WHEREAS, precedent exists for federal legislation to provide for the protection of valuable parcels, such as this in the action taken to preserve the U.S. Army base at the Presidio in San Francisco by designating it as federal parkland should Congress close that Army base; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego that, in recognition of the importance of Camp Pendleton to the region and of the unique natural resources contained within its boundaries, this council calls upon Congress to ensure the preservation of Camp Pendleton either as a Marine Corps training base or, should the base be closed, as federal parkland preserved as an asset for all the people.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Intergovernmental Relations Department and the City's Washington lobbyists are hereby directed to inform members of San Diego's federal congressional delegation of the City's position to support H.R. 3591, as set forth in Intergovernmental Relations Department Report No. 90-1 dated January 5, 1990.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Senior Chief Deputy

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MAUREEN O'CONNOR  
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

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