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WHEREAS, John B. Kennedy joined the San Diego YMCA in 1937 and benefited from the youth programs of the Downtown YMCA; and

WHEREAS, after returning from graduation at "CAL" and a stint in the U.S. Navy, John became active in the adult programs of the Downtown YMCA; and

WHEREAS, John's leadership abilities were recognized and he joined the Board of Management of the Downtown YMCA, where he founded the Good Friday Breakfast in 1961 -- a tradition that still exists today; and

WHEREAS, John was elected to the Board of Directors of the YMCA of San Diego and accepted the challenge of developing a new family YMCA in Mission Valley, meeting that challenge by raising \$1.8 million, opening the doors of the facility in April 1981, and serving as its Charter Board Chairman; and

WHEREAS, John recently headed up the "Commitment to Youth" campaign that raised \$2.7 million to expand the overflowing Mission Valley YMCA and to expand the services of the YMCA beyond the 25,000 individuals served annually; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, hereby commends John B. Kennedy for his leadership role and

volunteer services to the San Diego YMCA and to the youth and citizens of San Diego.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Senior Chief Deputy

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