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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 279331

ADOPTED ON JAN 27 1992

WHEREAS, Mrs. Rosa Parks fueled the civil rights movement 36 years ago when she refused to give up her seat on a bus in Montgomery, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Parks' protest was followed by a mass boycott of the city's buses by 50,000 African Americans led by Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.; and

WHEREAS, one year later segregation on the buses ended; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Parks was named by the editors of Ladies Home Journal as one of the twenty-five most important women in America; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Parks was also honored by the installation of a bronze bust in her likeness at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Parks, as a civil rights activist, has walked picket lines in Washington, D.C., along with other supporters of the Free South Africa Movement; and

WHEREAS, most recently, Mrs. Parks achieved a personal dream with the development of the Rosa and Raymond Parks Institute for Self-development which will offer career training for youths between the ages of 12 to 18 in an effort to combat the dropout rate of young African Americans; 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 proclaims February 4, 1992, to be "ROSA PARKS HUMAN RIGHTS DAY" in San Diego, and acknowledges its appreciation of Mrs. Parks' efforts to support human rights.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By Stuart H. Swett  
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George Stevens	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tom Behr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Valerie Stallings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judy McCarty	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Mayor Maureen O'Connor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AUTHENTICATED BY:

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

CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By Mary Cepeda Deputy.

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