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## RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 279786 ADOPTED ON APR 20 1992

WHEREAS, April 22, 1992 will be the 22nd annual celebration of Earth Day and the month of April will find many events to express environmental concerns; and

WHEREAS, Earth Day began in 1970 as a long term endeavor to build a world that would be safe and sustainable; and

WHEREAS, in 1990, more than 200 million people worldwide expressed their concern for the future; and

WHEREAS, pollution, drought, forest depletion, waste management and other environmental problems pose continuing challenges; and

WHEREAS, cities can and must make major contributions to solving our environmental and natural resource problems through land use, transportation, waste management, and zoning decision that shape our environment; and

WHEREAS, local governments currently operate numerous recycling, ride-sharing, energy and water conservation and hazardous waste programs that depend on widespread understanding and participation in order to be successful; and

WHEREAS, it is time for everyone to increase their understanding of the importance of participating in these programs and in general respect for all our natural resources; and

WHEREAS, Earth Day will reach beyond existing environmental constituencies to involve the broadest possible cross section of society including business, media, religious, political, youth, academic and cultural leaders; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people, hereby proclaims April 22, 1992 to be "EARTH DAY."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all citizens are urged to recognize the importance of this opportunity which will provide us with special occasion to renew our commitment to protect our home: EARTH.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Senior Chief Deputy

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Mayor Maureen O'Connor					
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(Seal)		ByBy	Clerk of The City of S	an Diego, California	Deputy.

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