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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 280806

ADOPTED ON OCT 05 1992

WHEREAS, the Honorable Judge Ross G. Tharp enlisted in the Marine Corps Reserve Platoon Leader Class in 1948, was commissioned upon graduation from Loyola Law School in 1952, served as Assistant Legal Officer in the third Marine Division at MCRD until 1955 when he entered the private practice of law in San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Judge Ross G. Tharp, a native of Southern California was elected to the San Diego City Council in 1957 and served as Deputy Mayor of the City in 1961; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Judge Ross Tharp was appointed to the San Diego Municipal Court by Governor Ronald Reagan in 1969 and elevated to the Superior Court in 1971; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Judge Ross G. Tharp has been active in civic organizations including Boys Club, March of Dimes, Heart Fund, Boys Scouts of America, Holiday Bowl, and especially the MCRD Museum Historical Society, which made unprecedented strides during his two years' service as President of their Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Judge Ross G. Tharp had the good sense to marry Elizabeth Steeger on July 7, 1951, who while raising five children including Robert, Robin, Betsy, Dede, and Sally, also found time for leadership roles in Freedom's Foundation at Valley Forge, the Bar Auxiliary (having chaired the

first of San Diego's now legendary Blackstone Ball), Mercy Hospital Auxiliary, Mercy Ball Committee, University of San Diego Auxiliary, and Social Services Auxiliary; and

WHEREAS, we are gathered here this evening of October 3, 1992 to honor the Honorable Judge Ross G. and Betty Tharp; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that the members of the San Diego City Council take great pleasure in saying "Well Done" to this exemplary couple, who have given so much of themselves toward the enrichment of our City and extend to them sincere best wishes for continued success in their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council does hereby designate October 3, 1992 as "Judge Ross G. and Betty Tharp Day" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By Stuart H. Swett
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Senior Chief Deputy City Attorney

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AUTHENTICATED BY:

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

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

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By *Mary Cepeda*, Deputy.

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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