

(R-93-801)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R-281059

ADOPTED ON NOV 18 1992

WHEREAS, Dr. Floyd Gaffney is a veteran actor and dancer, beginning his training as a teenager at Cleveland's famed Karamu House and the Children's Theatre of Cleveland Playhouse; and

WHEREAS, he received a B.A. in Dance and an M.A. in Theatre Arts from Adelphi University in Garden City, New York in 1959, and a Ph.D. in Dramatic Literature-Criticism from Carnegie-Mellon University in 1966, and has long been associated with universities and community theatres as well as regional and professional companies; and

WHEREAS, his honors include an Andrew Mellon Fellowship in Drama in 1964-65; a Ford Foundation Grant in 1970; Creative Arts Institute Grant in 1974; National Endowment of the Arts Grant in 1976; service on the National Humanities Faculty from 1974-75; a U.S. Japan Friendship Commission Creative Arts Fellowship in 1984; and a Fullbright Scholar to Brazil in the summer of 1979; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gaffney has directed and choreographed productions including: "The World of Carl Sandberg", "Irma La Douce", "A Hand is on the Gate", "Ceremonies in Dark Old Men", "The Blood Knot", "No Place to be Somebody", "McBeth", "The Hot L Baltimore", "Storyville", and "The Sistuhs"; and

WHEREAS, he has been a professor of drama and coordinator of the Contemporary Black Arts Program at the University of

California since 1971, and has served as Artistic Director for the Southeast Community Theatre since 1972, in which he has directed over twenty-five productions; 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 November 14, 1992 to be "DR. FLOYD GAFFNEY DAY" in San Diego, and commends him for his twenty years of community service as Artistic Director for the Southeast Community Theatre.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By Stuart H. Swett  
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Senior Chief Deputy

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by the following vote:

Council Members	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Ineligible
Abbe Wolfsheimer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ron Roberts	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
John Hartley	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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"/>
Bob Filner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mayor Maureen O'Connor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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 *Brenda R. Barnes*, Deputy.

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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