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WHEREAS, more than 4,000 people die from fire every year in the United States; and

WHEREAS, some 80% of all U.S. fire deaths occur in our homes; and

WHEREAS, planning ahead and practicing a fire escape plan can greatly enhance our ability to get out unharmed; and

WHEREAS, every escape plan should include knowing two ways out of each room and having a meeting place outside; and

WHEREAS, fire escape plans should be developed and drills practiced at home, at work, and at school, with participation by all occupants; and

WHEREAS, everyone should know that once they are safely outside, they must not re-enter the burning building; and

WHEREAS, everyone should know that if they must escape through smoke, they should crawl low, under smoke, keeping their head about 12-24 inches off the floor; and

WHEREAS, the fire service of The City of San Diego is dedicated to the safety of life and property from the devastating effects of fire; and

WHEREAS, those members of the fire service are joined by other concerned citizens of this city, as well as business, schools, service clubs and organizations in their fire safety efforts; and

WHEREAS, the local efforts of the fire service are supported by the activities of organizations such as the National Fire Protection Association, the United States Fire Administration, the International Association of Black Professional Fire Fighters, the National Volunteer Fire Council and the Fire Marshals Association of North America; 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, and in commemoration of the great Chicago Fire of 1871 which killed 250 persons, left 100,000 homeless and destroyed more than 17,400 buildings, hereby proclaims the week of October 3 through 9, 1993 to be "FIRE PREVENTION WEEK" in San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the people of San Diego are urged to participate in fire prevention activities at home, work, and school, and to heed the message: "Get Out, Stay Out! Your Fire Safety Response" as the 1993 Fire Prevention Week theme.

APPROVED:

OHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Elmer L. Heap, Deputy City Attorney

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