

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 284667

ADOPTED ON OCT 03 1994

WHEREAS, Children's Hospital and Health Center opened in The City of San Diego in 1954 as a 59-bed facility geared to treating crippling childhood diseases; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Children's Hospital and Health Center is to restore, sustain and enhance the development potential of children; and

WHEREAS, in 1953, a group of thirty women dedicated themselves to supporting the soon to open hospital by establishing the Children's Hospital Auxiliary; and

WHEREAS, Children's Hospital Auxiliary works in partnership with Children's Hospital and Health Center to support the health and well-being of children, to increase community awareness of children's health issues and to raise vital funds; and

WHEREAS, Children's Hospital Auxiliary created Kids' NewsDay in 1990 as a fun and informative community-wide fundraising event; and

WHEREAS, all proceeds from the sale of this special edition San Diego Union Tribune enables Children's Hospital and Health Center to expand their services to thousands of area youngsters; and

WHEREAS, Kids' NewsDay provides an opportunity for residents of San Diego to support acute hospital care for San Diego's children by purchasing, the special edition Union Tribune on

October 4, 1994, for \$1.00; and

WHEREAS, Children's Hospital Auxiliary has an impressive goal of selling 100,000 newspapers at over 500 locations with the help of 1,500 volunteers; 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, does hereby commend Children's Hospital Auxiliary for its efforts to ensure quality health care for children in San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Tuesday, October 4, 1994 be and is hereby proclaimed to be "KIDS' NEWSDAY" in The City of San Diego.

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