

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 284687

ADOPTED ON OCT 03 1994

WHEREAS, San Diego Earth Day is presenting the first annual Youth Earth Savers Festival, YES!Fest '94 on Sunday, October 23, 1994; and

WHEREAS, San Diego area students, ages 5 to 18, and their families will say "YES!" to environmental actions and causes; and

WHEREAS, more than fifty exhibitors and performers are expected to participate in YES!Fest '94 with a special emphasis on displays, games, entertainment and hands-on-activities, all with an environmental connection; and

WHEREAS, the YES!Fest '94 site in Crown Point Shores at the north end of Mission Bay is adjacent to Kendall-Frost Nature Preserve, the only remaining natural wetland on the bay; and

WHEREAS, during YES!Fest '94 the San Diego Audubon Society and coastal park rangers will lead guided walks of the Crown Point ecosystem; and

WHEREAS, YES!Fest '94 will also launch the Team Earth Passport, a guide to begin to make every day Earth Day from YES!Fest '94 to Earthfair '95; and

WHEREAS, during the six months prior to Earthfair, participants can accumulate points by participating in events and activities, dining, shopping and acting in an environmentally conscious way; and

WHEREAS, prizes will be given for accumulating the most

points and every entrant will receive a Team Earth prize pack;
and

WHEREAS, San Diego Earth Day is a nonprofit, volunteer-based organization dedicated to a clean, prosperous and healthy future for the environment; 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 congratulate and thank San Diego Earth Day for its commitment and service to San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that October 23, 1994 be and is hereby proclaimed to be "YOUTH EARTH SAVERS FESTIVAL, YES!FEST '94 DAY" in The City of San Diego.

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