

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 285924

ADOPTED ON JUN 12 1995

WHEREAS, the Republic of the Philippines declared its independence on June 12, 1898 by raising the first Philippine flag in the small town of Kawit, in the Province of Cavite; and

WHEREAS, the Filipino-American population in San Diego is one of the largest concentrations of Filipinos outside the Republic of the Philippines; and

WHEREAS, the Council of The City of San Diego recognizes the importance of the Filipino-American community and appreciates the contributions it has made to enrich the cultural diversity of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the Filipino-American community of San Diego will begin a week-long celebration of the 97th Anniversary of Philippine Independence; 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 the week of June 11 through 17, 1995 as "PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENCE WEEK" in The City of San Diego.

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