

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 285967

ADOPTED ON JUN 26 1995

WHEREAS, the incidence of alcohol and other drug impairment annually jeopardizes the lives and safety of the traveling public; and

WHEREAS, on June 14, 1990, the United States Supreme Court ruled in support of the use of sobriety checkpoints as a measure to detect and deter incidents of impaired driving, thereby answering the issue of their constitutionality; and

WHEREAS, sobriety checkpoints can serve to reduce the likelihood that drinking drivers will operate their vehicles, and thereby lessen the hazards of innocent travelers and by-standers; and


WHEREAS, The City of San Diego considers of utmost seriousness its duty to protect our citizens from hazards such as impaired drivers; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council hereby supports the use of sobriety checkpoints as a valuable weapon in the war against impaired driving-related

death and injury, and hereby proclaims June 28 through July 5,
1995 to be "NATIONAL SOBRIETY CHECKPOINT WEEK" in San Diego.

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