

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 286064

ADOPTED ON JUL 17 1995

WHEREAS, in 1964 - Mexican American leaders initiated meetings to develop and establish a new organization - "Mexican American Advisory Committee" (MAAC) and in 1965, Frank M. Jordan, Secretary of the State of California, certified the San Diego County Mexican American Anti-Poverty Advisory Committee as a bona fide non-profit corporation; and

WHEREAS, in 1965, the MAAC Project established service centers in San Ysidro, National City, Linda Vista, and Oceanside, in 1967 Summer Youth Recreation Services - Early Child Development Centers - Manpower Component - On the Job Training - Hands On Program - Literacy Program - Free Legal Clinic and Income Tax Service Preparation Program for Low Income Families - EDD Job Placement and Drug Prevention Program; and

WHEREAS, in 1972, the MAAC Board took action to change the corporation's official name to METROPOLITAN AREA ADVISORY COMMITTEE, a multi-purpose social service agency with a successful thirty year history of serving the various communities throughout San Diego County and the MAAC Project has continuously assisted low income clients in achieving a higher level of self sufficiency; and

WHEREAS, the MAAC Project has developed a spectrum of programs that address the needs of low income families and individuals striving to improve their economic standing as well

as their ability through providing access resources available to them; and

WHEREAS, the MAAC Project includes several divisions: Human Services & Training, Health Services, Energy Services, Head Start, Education Services, and Community Development Services; 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, commends the Metropolitan Area Advisory Committee (MAAC Project), and hereby proclaims the 8th day of July, 1995 to be **"THE MAAC PROJECT DAY"** in the City of San Diego.

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