

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 287585

ADOPTED ON JUL 0 8 1996

WHEREAS, physical recreation and meaningful leisure experiences contribute to physical and mental well-being as well as the overall quality of life; and

WHEREAS, community recreation and leisure opportunities create socially beneficial connections between and among individuals, groups, and communities; and

WHEREAS, parks and recreation services provide preventative health benefits, support more productive workforces, enhance the desirability of locations for business and families, and stimulate tourism revenues to increase a total community economic development model; and

WHEREAS, the provision and preservation of parks and open spaces are both an investment and insurance plan for our collective quality of life; and

WHEREAS, The City of San Diego recognizes and applauds the efforts and contributions of the 1,600+ Park and Recreation Department employees who enable the City to provide important services and programs to the citizens of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the month of July 1996 has been proclaimed to be "Parks and Recreation Month" by the National Recreation and Parks Association; NOW, THEREFORE,

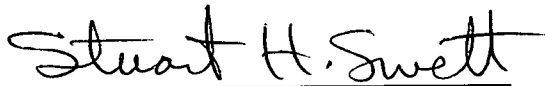
BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that the month of July 1996 is hereby proclaimed to be **"PARKS AND**

RECREATION MONTH" in The City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all citizens of this great city are encouraged to join in this nationwide celebration bringing recognition to all the benefits derived from quality public and private recreation and park resources at the local level.

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