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WHEREAS, Lieutenant Colonel John Ryan, USMC, having been in active dedicated service to his country, the United States Marine Corps, and his family since 1973, is now retiring from active duty after 23 years; and

WHEREAS, Lieutenant Colonel Ryan, during his military career, has served as the Special Project Officer for the Cruise Missile Program and the HAVE BLUE Stealth Fighter Program; as Guided Missile Instructor; as Head, Antiair Warfare, Firepower Division; and as a Battalion Commander of a HAWK Guided Missile Battalion during Operations DESERT SHIELD and DESERT STORM; and

WHEREAS, Lieutenant Colonel Ryan is the Deputy Project
Manager for Base Realignment and Closure at Naval Air Station
Miramar, San Diego, CA; and

WHEREAS, Lieutenant Colonel Ryan has volunteered countless hours of his personal time to educate, inform, and attend numerous public meetings regarding the realignment of Naval Air Station Miramar to Marine Corps Air Station Miramar; and

WHEREAS, the professional knowledge, military bearing and exemplary courtesy exhibited by Lieutenant Colonel Ryan in all his public contacts on behalf of his command have reflected extraordinarily well on himself and the United States Marine Corps; 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 commends Lieutenant Colonel John Ryan for his personal contribution to the City of San Diego and his country.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Council, hereby proclaims Friday, August 26, 1996, to be "LIEUTENANT COLONEL JOHN RYAN DAY" in The City of San Diego.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Stuart H. Swett

Head Deputy City Attorney

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