RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 287769 ADOPTED ON SEP 0 9 1996

WHEREAS, the Juniper Front Community Garden was founded in 1981 by Ms. Ethel Baron after two years of planning and was originally sponsored by the Senior Citizen's Center of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the Juniper Front Community Garden is located at 2260 Front Street on 20,000 square feet of land provided by the San Diego Port District; and

WHEREAS, the Juniper Front Community Garden is one of 18 known community gardens in the County of San Diego which serves to bring people together representing all ages and ethnic backgrounds for a common purpose of sharing, learning, and planting; and

WHEREAS, the Juniper Front Community Garden holds monthly meetings to plan for their future, organize work parties, and deliver surplus food to agencies and organizations like Mama's Kitchen, which feeds people with AIDS/HIV; and

WHEREAS, Juniper Front Community Garden has succeeded in finding a location, organizing a committed group of members, making productive use of surplus food, recycling and reducing waste by utilizing a compost, and has effectively created and maintained a beautiful community garden from a once empty lot; 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, does hereby recognize the outstanding contributions that the JUNIPER FRONT COMMUNITY GARDEN and its members have made to improving the community and The City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Saturday, September 7, 1996 be and is hereby proclaimed to be "JUNIPER FRONT COMMUNITY GARDEN DAY" in The City of San Diego.

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