

(R-97-1207)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 288720

ADOPTED ON JUN 03 1997

WHEREAS, National Trails Day will be recognized on June 7, 1997; and

WHEREAS, National Trails Day is celebrated by over 3,000 trail organizations, agencies and businesses across the country who will host a variety of events including new trail dedications, workshops, educational exhibits, equestrian and mountain bike rides, hiking at a variety of locations from mountain ridges to shorelines; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego Park and Recreation Department and Park Rangers are celebrating National Trails Day with the dedication and opening of the newly restored Balboa Park Hiking and Biking Trails in Florida Canyon; and

WHEREAS, National Trails Day provides the opportunity to recognize the Balboa Park Hiking and Biking Trails after a three-year trail restoration and revegetation project made possible by a grant from the State Land and Water Conservation Fund and the help of a small group of Park Rangers and over 300 volunteers; and

WHEREAS, National Trails Day will be celebrated at all the trails that are maintained by the City of San Diego which include Mission Trails Regional Park, Los Penasquitos Canyon Preserve, Tecolote Natural Park, Marian Bear Memorial Park, Rose Canyon Open Space Park; and

WHEREAS, National Trails Day will call attention to the diverse benefits of trails and increase public awareness of the importance of protecting these resources; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the citizens of San Diego, does hereby recognize National Trails Day, the City of San Diego Park and Recreation Department, Park Rangers and volunteers for their stewardship of the City's trail systems.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that June 7, 1997 is hereby proclaimed to be "**National Trails Day**" in The City of San Diego.

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