RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 289353

ADOPTED ON **NOV 0 4 1997**

WHEREAS, Cynthia Haney is a Southern California native, a resident of Linda Vista for the past 10 years and is someone who has given countless hours to the community; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia has been a devoted volunteer in the San Diego Humane Society cattery since January 1996 where she has selflessly given of her time to care for the well-being of cats and kittens awaiting new homes; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia, through her dedication to the San Diego Humane Society, has assisted with the adoption of 457 cats and 790 kittens, thereby maintaining the Humane Society's 99% adoption rate; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia's consistency and willingness to work beyond expectations has served as tremendous support to the Animal Care staff during the "kitten season"; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Humane Society is a private, non-profit organization in which all programs and services cover the entire County, including adoptions, educating children and adults about proper pet care, pet assisted therapy and rescuing animals in emergency situations; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia has received the honor of being named Volunteer of the Month at the San Diego Humane Society for October 1997 in recognition of her exemplary work and her cheerful and caring attitude when working with the cats and kittens in the cattery; and WHEREAS, Cynthia and her beloved husband, Michael Haney, share their Linda Vista home with three cats, Emma, Agnus Grey and Grady, all of whom were rescued strays; 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 and commend Cynthia Haney for her commitment to volunteering to care for San Diego's stray cats and kittens.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in recognition of Cynthia Haney's award as "Volunteer of the Month" for October 1997, Monday, November 10, 1997 is hereby proclaimed to be "Cynthia Haney Day" in The City of San Diego.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

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Stuart H. Swett.

Deputy City Attorney

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