

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 289639

ADOPTED ON JAN 12 1998

WHEREAS, San Diego is the origin of the commercial development of a communications standard known as Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA), the fastest growing wireless technology for digital wireless systems in the United States; and

WHEREAS, San Diego-based QUALCOMM Inc. is the global leader in digital wireless communications as the pioneer of CDMA, licensing high quality communications to over 50 telecommunications manufacturers worldwide; and

WHEREAS, QUALCOMM Personal Electronics is one of the largest manufacturers of CDMA subscriber products in the world; and

WHEREAS, QUALCOMM is part of a consortium of companies working with the University of California, San Diego's School of Engineering to establish the Center for Wireless Communications-- the intellectual engine behind the research and development of a radically new wireless network that may transform business and home communications; and

WHEREAS, QUALCOMM Inc. is the largest private employer in the County, employing nearly 10,000 employees, the majority of whom live in San Diego; and

WHEREAS, QUALCOMM makes many valuable and generous charitable contributions to the community, dedicating resources and providing donations to benefit education, the arts, the environment, and health and human services; and

WHEREAS, the wireless communications industry is one of the reasons San Diego is a

thriving entrepreneurial community that encourages small start-up companies and attracts large high-tech companies to the area; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council declares the week of January 18-24, 1998, to be "QUALCOMM WEEK" in San Diego, in appreciation of the economic and social contributions the company makes to our region.

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