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## RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 289983 ADOPTED ON APR 211998

WHEREAS, Charlie Ross has served the community of San Carlos with great dedication and, through his tireless efforts, he has improved the public's safety and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, through his efforts and as the Founding Coordinator, Charlie established and guided the largest Next Generation of Neighborhood Watch program in The City of San Diego with 250 Neighborhood Watch Captains; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Police Department has praised this Neighborhood Watch program as the best in the City; and

WHEREAS, Charlie has also served his community as a board member of the San Carlos Area Council; and

WHEREAS. he has devoted 41 years of his career to journalism covering and writing about local, state and national politics and been nominated for four Pulitzer Prizes; and

WHEREAS, he has continually volunteered his services and has served on the board of directors of UCAN, the Utility Reform Network, and chaired the City of San Diego Ethics Commission; 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 commend Charlie Ross for his never ending spirit of community involvement and making The City of San Diego a better place to live.

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