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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 290111 ADOPTED ON MAY 1 8 1998

WHEREAS, in 1963, President John F. Kennedy proclaimed the month of May to be National Senior Citizens Month; and

WHEREAS, now known as Older Americans Month, May has remained a month nationally designated to celebrate aging and to honor the contributions made by older Americans; and

WHEREAS, in the United States alone, there are approximately 34 million exceptional older Americans that show that life can be full and active at any age; and

WHEREAS, in keeping with this year's theme, "Living Longer, Growing Stronger in America," on May 17, 1998, Jewish Family Service will celebrate its own 80th birthday, paying tribute to eighty San Diegans turning 80 years of age; 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, hereby proclaims the month of May 1998 to be "Older Americans Month" in San Diego in recognition of their many outstanding contributions.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

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