## RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 290257 ADOPTED ON JUN 1 5 1998

WHEREAS, Dr. Walter G. Wells has been a resident of San Diego for the past 45 years and was converted and baptized at Calvary Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, he graduated from Lincoln High School in 1957 and attended San Diego City College receiving an A.A. Degree, and graduated from A.B. Simpson Memorial College with a Bachelors and Masters Degree in Theology; and

WHEREAS, after being at Mt. Erie for only three years, Dr. Wells saw the need to build a new Edifice for all to worship the Lord; and

WHEREAS, he had a vision to want to educate our children and in April 1983 Mt. Erie Christian Academy was formed, the Infant and Toddler Center in 1985, Trolley Day Care in 1990, and Academy Preschool Center in 1992; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Walter Wells is firmly embedded in the word of the Lord, and his goal is for each believer to mature into Christlikeness, which is inspired by sermon and through the teachings of the Bible; and

WHEREAS, he has been a spiritual blessing to the Mt. Erie congregation, the Baptist District Association, the California Baptist District Association, and the National Missionary Baptist Convention of America; 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 commends Dr. and Sister Walter G. Wells for their commitment and dedication.

## BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that June 14, 1998 be and is hereby proclaimed to be

"25th 'Silver' Pastoral Anniversary Day for Dr. and Sister Walter G. Wells."

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

Stuart H. Swett

Deputy City Attorney

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