

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 290752

ADOPTED ON SEP 29 1998

WHEREAS, at the Sixteenth Annual John S. Lyons Memorial Banquet, Bill Tweet, the Business Manager/Financial Secretary Treasurer of Ironworkers Local 229, will receive the 1998 Labor Leader of the Year Award in recognition of his outstanding record of contributions on behalf of the working women and men, as well as his service to our community and State; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tweet began his career as an Ironworker in November 1967, and entered the Iron Workers Apprenticeship Program, graduating in 1971; and

WHEREAS, during the course of his tenure as an Ironworker, Mr. Tweet has worked on many of the San Diego County's Highways and Bridges on Interstates 5, 8, 805 and 163, and has also contributed his skills to the building of major high rises in downtown San Diego; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tweet first became active in Ironworkers Local 229 when he was elected Vice-President of the Local 1982, a position he held until being elected a Member of the Executive Board and District Council Representative; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tweet served in this position for two terms before his election to the office of Business Manager/ Financial Secretary Treasurer of Ironworkers Local 229, and in 1997, the members of Local 229 voted to re-elect Mr. Tweet for another term; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tweet also serves as Delegate to the District Council of Iron Workers, Trustee of the District Council of Iron Workers, State of California Pension, Annuity, Labor Management Cooperation and Emergency Relief Trust Funds; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tweet has served Organized Labor in San Diego as a Delegate and currently the President of the San Diego County Building and Construction Trades Council, the President of the Imperial County Building and Construction Trades Council, and an Executive Board Member of the San Diego-Imperial Counties Labor Council; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tweet exemplifies the high values, standards, and principles of the work of the late John S. Lyons in community service, and it is appropriate at this time that his efforts be acknowledged; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that this Council does hereby recognize Bill Tweet on his receipt of the 1998 Labor Leader of the Year Award in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the enhancement of the quality of life in San Diego, and extends to him best wishes for continued success.

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