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WHEREAS, National Philanthropy Day is a special day, celebrated each year on the third Tuesday of November, in recognition of the great contribution of philanthropy - and those people active in the philanthropic community - to the enrichment of our world; and

WHEREAS, National Philanthropy Day, first held in 1986, is a way to appreciate the incalculable contributions that individuals and organizations across the nation give to the needy and an opportunity to reflect on the meaning of giving and all that it has made possible; and

WHEREAS, National Philanthropy Day provides an opportunity to acknowledge all that has been accomplished in the name of giving, as well as consider how much more needed and providing an opportunity for everyone to remember that the spirit of giving is alive and well; and

WHEREAS, John M. Carney of the San Diego Chargers is named 1998 Volunteer of the Year in recognition of his work raising hundreds of thousand of dollars in support of Fresh Start Surgical Gifts, Inc., which provides and facilitates reconstruction surgery for children who suffer from physical deformities along with his commitment to assist the San Diego Chargers' community service projects such as the Chargers' Blood Drive, Sear Roebuck & Co.'s Shop with a Jock and St. Vincent de Paul Village's Easter Sunday meals for the homeless; 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 designates, November 17,1998, as "John M. Carney, Volunteer of the Year Day" in San Diego.

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