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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 291470

ADOPTED ON APR 12 1999

WHEREAS, since 1992, Helen Duffy has served as the Chair of the Mission Bay Park Committee, which is responsible for all the planning of the largest aquatic recreational park in North America; and

WHEREAS, Helen has also served as Vice Chair of the San Diego Park and Recreation Board from 1992-98, Mission Bay Planners 1991-95, San Diego Park and Recreation Coastal Area Committee 1989-91, Mission Beach Precise Planning Committee 1989-91, Save Mission Beach Park Committee 1986-88, and Mission Beach Town Council 1979 to present, including service as President 1987-89, Treasurer 1989-90, and Area Representative 1990-91; and

WHEREAS, during her leadership tenure at the Mission Bay Park Committee, Helen oversaw the adoption of the Mission Bay Master Plan, the establishment of the Mission Bay Foundation, the construction of the South Shores boat launching ramp, the advancement of the Crew Classic, the removal of the Fiesta Island sludge beds, the introduction of ESPN's X Games, and other major public improvements and events in and around this aquatic jewel; and

WHEREAS, Helen has capably served the people of San Diego for many years in various capacities and is to be recognized and thanked for her dedication to the community and commitment to the public; 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 proclaim Monday, April 12, 1999 to be

"HELEN DUFFY DAY" in San Diego, in recognition of her achievements on behalf of Mission Bay and outstanding contributions to the San Diego community.

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