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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 291523 ADOPTED ON APR 2 6 1999

WHEREAS, Mr. Randy Edmonds, Jr. was born on April 4, 1934 in Oklahoma at the old Kiowa Indian hospital; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Edmonds moved to Los Angeles, California in 1954 and worked for Northrop Aircraft and United States Gypsum Company; and

WHEREAS, in 1971, he began working for the United Indian Development Association and was assigned to the Relocation Program and shortly after became Executive Director of the Los Angeles Indian Center, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Edmonds relocated to San Diego, California in 1974 and founded the Indian Human Resource Center in 1979 to assist the San Diego Indian community in opportunities for employment and training, advocacy, cultural awareness, and other Indian activities; and

WHEREAS, he has served on numerous boards and commissions in the City and County, including The City of San Diego Human Relations Commission, the Airport Minority Business Committee of the San Diego Port District, the Agency Executive Association Committee Cabinet for United Way, and the County of San Diego Housing Community Development Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, he has also served as Chairman of The City of San Diego Equal Opportunity Commission, Native American Task Force for Spiritual Gathering, and the National Urban Indian Council; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Edmonds is currently Executive Director of the Indian Human Resource Center, Inc. and has worked on behalf of the Indian Country for over 40 years; 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 commend Mr. Randy Edmonds, Jr. for his years of commitment and service to The City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that April 30, 1999 be and is hereby proclaimed to be "RANDY EDMONDS DAY" in The City of San Diego.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

By

Stuart H. Swett.

Deputy City Attorney

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