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WHEREAS, celebrating personal and cultural diversity is an important part of the rich heritage of our City; and

WHEREAS, San Diego is proud to boast a large Filipino-American community which is dedicated to the advancement and enrichment of Philippine cultural heritage and history; and

WHEREAS, June 12th, 1999, marks the 101st anniversary of Philippine independence from Spain; and

WHEREAS, the dedicated efforts of the Council of Philippine American Organizations of San Diego County to expand and enlighten our community's cultural awareness of Filipino history culminates each year in the Philippine Faire; and

WHEREAS, members of our community will be celebrating the 101st anniversary of Philippine independence from Spain during the Philippine Faire '99; 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 proclaims June 6 through 12, 1999, as "PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENCE ANNIVERSARY WEEK" in recognition of the 101st anniversary of

Philippine independence from Spain, and the ongoing efforts of the Council of Philippine

American Organizations of San Diego County to raise Filipino awareness within our community.

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Stuart H. Swett.

Deputy City Attorney

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