

RESOLUTION NUMBER R-292258

ADOPTED ON OCT 05 1999

WHEREAS, the arts and humanities enhance and enrich the lives of all Americans; and

WHEREAS, the arts and humanities affect every aspect of life in America including the economy, social problem solving, job creation, education, creativity, and community livability; and

WHEREAS, a coalition of more than fifty national arts and humanities groups representing over 23,000 cultural organizations and institutions comprise the National Cultural Alliance, which works to increase public awareness and understanding of, and participation in, the humanities and the arts; and

WHEREAS, the nation's 23,000 cultural organizations, the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, the Institute of Museum and Library Services, the nation's 3,800 local arts agencies, the arts and humanities councils of the 56 states and U.S. jurisdictions, and the President of the United States will be encouraged to participate in this celebration; and

WHEREAS, the month of October 1999 has been recognized as National Arts and Humanities Month by the United States Conference of Mayors; 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 the month of October 1999 to be

"NATIONAL ARTS AND HUMANITIES MONTH" in San Diego, and urges all residents to participate in and to celebrate the cultural riches our community has to offer.

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