

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 292384

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WHEREAS, San Diego Foundation for Change will host its annual Change Maker Awards on November 5, 1999; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Foundation for Change's mission is to seek positive, permanent change to end discrimination, lack of opportunity, poverty and environmental degradation in San Diego County and the U.S. Mexico border region while promoting equity, economic renewal and environmental health for all; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Foundation for Change will award 18 diverse groups with a total of \$55,000 and since 1983, San Diego Foundation for Change has awarded more than \$350,000 in seed grants to area organizations; and

WHEREAS, this year's Change Maker Award recipients address many diverse issues ranging from bi-national environmental education programs for children, advocacy for the homeless, ending the negative effects of anti-gay bias in schools and HIV/AIDS outreach to the Asian Pacific-Islander community to name a few; and

WHEREAS, many grassroots organizations in the community have benefitted from San Diego Foundation for Change grants and continue to build and strengthen communities throughout the region; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the citizens of San Diego, does hereby commend the Board of Directors, volunteers and staff of San Diego Foundation for Change for their tireless leadership to support those groups

and individuals who are working in the most underserved and disenfranchised communities in San Diego and Tijuana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that November 5, 1999 is hereby proclaimed to be “**San Diego Foundation for Change Day**” in The City of San Diego.

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