

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 292677

ADOPTED ON JAN 31 2000

WHEREAS, Cathy L. Clark graduated from San Diego State University in 1972, and while attending SDSU she served as Editor-in-Chief, News Editor, and a Reporter for the San Diego State Daily Aztec, was active with KPBS public affairs programming, and named Woman Journalist of the Year in 1970; and

WHEREAS, while still in college she began working as a reporter at the El Cajon Daily Californian newspaper and in August 1972, started working as a reporter and anchor for Channel 8 KFMB-TV, where she covered politics and issues as specialties , and hosted public affairs and "Sun Up" interview programs for seven years; and

WHEREAS, she was hired in March 1979 by Channel 39 KNSD-TV and worked there for 11 years as a reporter and anchor; and

WHEREAS, Cathy L. Clark worked as a Staff Writer for the San Diego Evening Tribune in 1990 and joined Channel 51 KUSI-TV in 1991 as an Assistant News Director, where she assisted with their start-up newscast, supervised newsroom staff and operations, participated in budgets, planning and all news coverage, and hiring and firing; and

WHEREAS, from June 1991 to January 2000, Cathy L. Clark was the principal anchor for KUSI's News at Ten, where she covered politics, elections, and breaking news, including Downtown Redevelopment and Proposition C, and she also hosted a public affairs interview program focusing on major local issues; and

WHEREAS, she has served as former President of the local chapter, past Emmy Awards Chair, and a member of the Board of Governors for the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences, San Diego Chapter and 1st Vice President of the San Diego Chapter and Awards Chair of Sigma Delta Chi, the Society of Professional Journalists; and

WHEREAS, she is a member of the Board of Directors of the San Diego Film Commission and a Committee Member of the Advisory Committee for the College of Professional Studies and Fine Arts at San Diego State University; and

WHEREAS, Cathy L. Clark is the recipient of 7 Emmy Awards for her spot news, performance, newscasts, and journalistic enterprise, 6 Golden Mike Awards to recognize her writing, spot news, and newscasts, and the Edward R. Murrow Award, a national honor for local coverage in newscasts; and

WHEREAS, she currently works with her husband, Roel Robles, in their independent video production company, Robles Productions; 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 commends Cathy L. Clark for her service and dedication to The City of San Diego and hereby proclaims January 31, 2000 to be "**Cathy L. Clark Day**" in The City of San Diego.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

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