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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 month of October 2000 has been recognized as National Arts and Humanities Month by the United States Conference of Mayors; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Commission for Arts and Culture strives to integrate arts and culture into community life, supporting the region's cultural assets, and showcasing San Diego as an international cultural destination; and

WHEREAS, the month of December 2000 will be recognized as Arts and Culture Month as part of San Diego 2000, our year-long millennium celebration highlighting San Diego's various attributes, to showcase the arts and cultural communities which provide our City with its unique character and quality of life; 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 2000 to be "ARTS

AND HUMANITIES MONTH" in San Diego and urges all citizens to participate in and to celebrate the fine arts our community has to offer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the month of December 2000 is hereby proclaimed to be "ARTS AND CULTURE MONTH" in San Diego, and recognizes the Commission for Arts and Culture for their commitment to promote artistic innovation and cultural diversity in San Diego.

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