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## RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 293911 ADOPTED ON OCT 0 2 2000

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA FOR TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF DESIGNATED STREETS PURSUANT TO VEHICLE CODE SECTION 21101.4.

WHEREAS, the City Council, in accordance with Emergency Ordinance No.

O-\_\_\_\_18861, intends to temporarily close certain streets pursuant to Vehicle Code section 21101.4; and

WHEREAS, the City Council approved and adopted Ordinance No. O- 18861, on OCT 02 2000 as an emergency ordinance for temporary street closure because of the serious and continual criminal activity occurring as a result of illegal street racing on certain streets in the City of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, this illegal street racing poses an immediate and serious threat to public health and safety, a drain on police resources, and potential liability to the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council makes certain findings in compliance with Vehicle Code section 21101.4; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that this Council finds and determines as follows:

- 1. That there is serious and continual criminal activity on 9100 to 9400 Trade Place in the City of San Diego, which is recommended for temporary closure on weekends between the hours of 9:00 p.m. Friday night and 5:00 a.m. Saturday morning, 9:00 p.m. Saturday night and 5:00 a.m. Sunday morning, and 9:00 p.m. Sunday night and 4:00 a.m. Monday morning.
- 2. That 9100 to 9400 Trade Place has not been designated as a through highway or arterial street, based on the Mira Mesa Community Plan, approved by the San Diego City Council, October 6, 1992. Furthermore, 9100 to 9400 Trade Place is a business and industrial area, with no residences in the vicinity. Between the hours recommended for temporary closure,

there is no, or very limited, business activity occurring in the area of 9100 to 9400 Trade Place; therefore, the City Council finds and determines that 9100 to 9400 Trade Place is not a through highway or arterial street during these hours.

- 3. That vehicular or pedestrian traffic on the highway contributes to the criminal activity.
- 4. That the temporary closure will not substantially adversely affect traffic flow, safety on the adjacent streets or in the surrounding neighborhoods, the operation of emergency vehicles, the performance of municipal or public utility services, or the delivery of freight by commercial vehicles in the area of the highway proposed to be temporarily closed. Therefore Trade Place will now be temporarily closed for an 18-month period, subject to extension, between the hours of 9:00 p.m. Friday night and 5:00 a.m. Saturday morning, 9:00 p.m. Saturday night and 5:00 a.m. Sunday morning, and 9:00 p.m. Sunday night and 4:00 a.m. Monday morning. This temporary street closure shall not apply to emergency or law enforcement personnel in emergency or law enforcement vehicles; City, County, or State employees in government vehicles acting within the scope of their official duties; commercial vehicles making deliveries to and from commercial properties adjacent to the designated streets; and individuals employed by businesses adjacent to the designated streets and showing identification upon request by law enforcement personnel.

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