

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 294717

ADOPTED ON APR 02 2001

WHEREAS, Calvary Baptist Church was founded in 1889 as "Second Baptist Church" and the congregation's early meetings were held in private residences; and

WHEREAS, in 1900, the church settled at First and B Streets and in 1926, moved to the Crosby and Julian Streets; and

WHEREAS, in the coming years, the church membership and programs began to prosper and flourish and in 1952, Rev. S.M. Lockridge became pastor; and

WHEREAS, during Rev. Lockridge's service, additional property was acquired by the church and the church was remodeled and renovated; and

WHEREAS, upon Rev Lockridge's retirement in 1994, Rev. W. James Smith was installed as the 15th pastor of Calvary Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the General Worship Ministry, there is an Early Morning Worship Service, Fall and Spring Revivals, an extensive Bible Study and Educational Ministries program, an inspirational Music Ministry program, and an enriching Outreach Ministries program; and

WHEREAS, Calvary Baptist Church is celebrating its 112th Church Anniversary; 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 Calvary Baptist Church for 112 years of

service and contributions to the City of San Diego

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that March 18, 2001 be and is hereby proclaimed to be "CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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