

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 294819

ADOPTED ON MAY 01 2001

WHEREAS, COUPLES NATIONAL NETWORK gathers annually to collectively celebrate and honor gay and lesbian relationships and culture; and

WHEREAS, COUPLES NATIONAL NETWORK supports and nurtures the stability and positive aspects that gay and lesbian relationships bring to their lives and the community; and

WHEREAS, for the last 15 years, the purpose of COUPLES NATIONAL NETWORK has been to provide a social, educational and humanitarian forum for couples of the same gender, promote the validity of gay and lesbian relationships, and strive to publicize and showcase the positive and enduring aspects of their commitment to their partners; and

WHEREAS, COUPLES NATIONAL NETWORK has affiliates in San Diego, Inland Empire, Sacramento and San Francisco, California; Dallas and San Antonio, Texas; Minneapolis-St Paul, Minnesota; and Ft. Lauderdale and Tampa, Florida; and

WHEREAS, COUPLES NATIONAL NETWORK will hold its annual convention/celebration in San Diego the weekend of May 4 through 6, 2001, at the Quality Resort in Mission Valley; 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 recognize the 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary convention of COUPLES NATIONAL NETWORK, commend the organization for its commitment to empower and enrich the lives of gay and lesbian couples throughout the Network, and welcome convention participants to San Diego

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that May 4 through 6, 2001, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "COUPLES NATIONAL NETWORK WEEKEND" in the City of San Diego.

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