

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 295052

ADOPTED ON JUN 19 2001

WHEREAS, Being Alive San Diego provides invaluable support to more than 5,000 individuals infected with and affected by HIV/AIDS in San Diego; and

WHEREAS, Being Alive provides a broad range of services to the community, including food vouchers, moving assistance, peer advocacy, library materials, social and recreational opportunities, support groups, hair cuts, and family activities; and

WHEREAS, Being Alive has recruited more than 300 volunteers to assist in delivering its services and outreach activities and has successfully sought to draw its volunteers and staff from diverse backgrounds and life experiences in order to best reflect the diversity of its clients; and

WHEREAS, Being Alive's Speakers' Bureau has reached more than 25,000 members of the general public through presentations at local schools and hospitals, and in doing so has brought a better understanding of HIV/AIDS to residents all over San Diego County; and

WHEREAS, Being Alive continues to provide a comprehensive directory of local HIV services through its HIV Consumer Guidebook, has printed over 35,000 copies of this book in seven editions, and provides the text in English, Spanish, Braille, and Talking Book format; and

WHEREAS, on June 22, 2001, Being Alive San Diego will celebrate its 12th anniversary at its fourth annual gala fund-raiser at the Spreckels Organ Pavilion in Balboa Park; 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, does hereby recognize the 12th anniversary of Being Alive San

Diego, and commends the volunteers for their outstanding commitment to serve the HIV/AIDS community in San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, June 22, 2001, be and is hereby proclaimed to be **“BEING ALIVE SAN DIEGO DAY”** in the City of San Diego.

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