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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 295453

ADOPTED ON SEP 17 2001

WHEREAS, our Country suffered terrorist attacks on New York City, Washington, D.C., and Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, September 11, 2001; and

WHEREAS, these horrific acts of terrorism on America have shocked and saddened all of us; and

WHEREAS, this City Council, on behalf of all the citizens of the City of San Diego, wishes to express its sympathy to all those affected by the unspeakable evil of September 11th; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the Council expresses the City of San Diego's heartfelt condolences to the people of New York City; Washington, D.C. and all of those affected by the horrors of September 11th, and our hearts go out to each of them.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Council fully supports and is united behind the President and the Congress of the United States as they deal with this crisis.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all San Diegans are urged to remember, in their thoughts and prayers, all those who have lost loved ones in the terrorist attacks.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all San Diegans should come together and redouble our efforts to mutual respect, tolerance, and kindness toward people of all nationalities and backgrounds that we deal with every day. It is urged that all San Diegans reject any effort to divide us by nationality or country of origin during this crisis but to recognize, first and foremost,

our bond as Americans.;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that people of all faiths and belief systems come together to recognize that we are "One Nation under God" and must pray for comfort, restoration, and healing in our Nation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that every citizen is urged to demonstrate our Country's resolve and solidarity by flying the American flag at their home or business as an expression of both our sympathy, our strength, and our passionate commitment to stand together as Americans in this time of national crisis.

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