

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 295606

ADOPTED ON OCT 22 2001

WHEREAS, founded in 1938, the March of Dimes is a national voluntary health agency whose mission is to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects and infant mortality; and

WHEREAS, the March of Dimes serves more than 20 million people from Los Angeles, Inland Empire, Orange County and San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the March of Dimes has graciously selected the City of San Diego to launch the pilot program Hispanic Women's Initiative Project; and

WHEREAS, the Hispanic Women's Initiative Project will promote knowledge, motivation and education on the importance of folic acid and preconception health of Hispanic women; and

WHEREAS, the Hispanic Women's Initiative Project's commitment to provide comprehensive primary care services to San Diego's low-income, under served clients in the Hispanic community; 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 proclaim October 18, 2001, as the "**HISPANIC WOMEN'S INITIATIVE PROJECT DAY**" in the City of San Diego.

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