

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 296146

ADOPTED ON MAR 18 2002

WHEREAS, Pomerado Hospital is a provider of healthcare for San Diego County residents and is an important component within the medical community; and

WHEREAS, Pomerado Hospital's medical cache is vital in assisting medical personnel with providing treatment to victims and rescue workers engaged in disaster and terrorist responses; and

WHEREAS, Pomerado Hospital has maintained the medical cache through its pharmacy for the San Diego County Urban Search and Rescue Task Force 8 for the past six years; and

WHEREAS, in the wake of tremendous tragedy, Pomerado Hospital's pharmacy staff supported the deployment of Task Force 8 to the World Trade Center terrorist attacks in New York City for a search and rescue mission at Ground Zero; and

WHEREAS, Pomerado Hospital's support of the members of Task Force 8 demonstrates its commitment to public safety and recognition of firefighters throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, the pharmacy staff at Pomerado Hospital exemplifies the true meaning of American Spirit by their dedication and support towards the Task Force 8 and the victims of the World Trade Center terrorist attacks; 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 proclaims Monday, March 18, 2002, to be

"Pomerado Hospital Day" in the City of San Diego in recognition of Pomerado Hospital and its pharmacy staff for their support of the San Diego County Urban Search and Rescue Task Force 8 in their work in New York City.

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