## ADOPTED ON APR 0 9 2002

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2002, San Diego State University (SDSU) men's basketball team, led by Coach Steve Fisher, won its first Mountain West Conference title; and

WHEREAS, SDSU men's basketball team defeated University of Nevada at Las Vegas (UNLV) men's basketball team, 78-75, before 14,347 at the Thomas and Mack Center; and

WHEREAS, after its win over UNLV men's basketball team, SDSU qualified for the 2002 National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Tournament, its first time in seventeen years; and

WHEREAS, SDSU men's basketball team has produced doctors, attorney, engineers, local teachers, and business and community leaders; and

WHEREAS, SDSU men's basketball team continuously involve themselves in community service, and are highly visible in the academic campus as tutors, department interns and student advisory board members; and

WHEREAS, the sport of basketball, both for competition and recreation, has grown to become a major part of the community by its ability to bring cultural and gender diversity to the myriad of venues at which it is played throughout our community; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, in recognition of San Diego State University's men's basketball team's

basketball team's most recent accomplishment, April 9, 2002 is hereby proclaimed to be "SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY MEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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