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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 296344 ADOPTED ON APR 1 5 2002

WHEREAS, since 1989, the Fair Housing Council of San Diego has been promoting fair housing in an effort to end housing discrimination; and

WHEREAS, the Mission of the Council is to eliminate unlawful housing discrimination in the housing, rental, sales, lending, and property insurance markets on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, familial status, disability, or other state prohibited basis; and

WHEREAS, the Fair Housing Council of San Diego advocates for fair housing issues, conducts outreach and education programs, provides technical training and assistance for property owners and managers, coordinates fair housing efforts, and enforces fair housing rights; and

WHEREAS, the Council conducts fair housing complaint-based test and audits to measure the levels of fair housing compliance or verify alleged housing discrimination violations; and

WHEREAS, the Fair Housing Council of San Diego established and maintained the San Diego Fair Housing Advertising Task Force, comprised of over twenty-five members, including representatives from major area newspapers and housing associations; 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 commend the Fair Housing Council of San Diego for their contributions to the City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that April 2002 be and is hereby proclaimed to be "NATIONAL FAIR HOUSING MONTH" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

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