## RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 296413

## ADOPTED ON APR 2 9 2002

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego, San Diego County and the San Diego Humane

Society came together to form a unique partnership to construct the Kroc-Copley Animal Shelter;

and

WHEREAS, Joan Kroc and Helen Copley have, through their great generosity, helped make the dream of a state-of-the-art Animal Shelter a reality; and

WHEREAS, the Citizen's Blue Ribbon Panel to Build a New Central Animal Shelter, composed of City and County officials and concerned citizens, volunteered immeasurable time and effort in the creation of the Kroc-Copley Animal Shelter; and

WHEREAS, the public/private/non-profit collaboration that resulted in the creation of this Animal Care Campus will serve as a model for other local governments; and

WHEREAS, the co-location of the Animal Shelter and the San Diego Humane Society will allow sharing of facilities and services, which reduced construction costs and will reduce ongoing operational costs; and

WHEREAS, the Kroc-Copley Animal Shelter will create an environment that keeps animals healthy, helps them develop desirable behavior, and creates a place that people want to visit and adopt a pet; 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, in order to commemorate this historic day of the dedication

and ribbon-cutting of the Kroc-Copley Animal Shelter, hereby proclaims May 3, 2002 as "Kroc-Copley Animal Shelter Day" in the City of San Diego.

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