RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 296753 ADOPTED ON JUL 0 8 2002

WHEREAS, Father Eduardo Samaniego, distinguished pastor of Christ the King and advocate for the poor and disenfranchised has served San Diego for more than a decade; and

WHEREAS, he earned a teaching credential from California State University at Los Angeles and later received his Master's degree in Divinity and Theology in Berkeley at the graduate Theological Union; and

WHEREAS, Father Samaniego was ordained in 1990 and was sent to Christ the King Church in San Diego, where he has served four and a half years as Associate Pastor and six and a half years as Pastor; and

WHEREAS, he has worked tirelessly to make the parish youth friendly; and
WHEREAS, Father Samaniego has been involved with the wider community with the
San Diego Project, with the Interfaith Committee for Worker Justice, with a variety of
committees and organizations focused on winning justice for those without a strong voice;
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 recognize and appreciate the assistance of Father Eduardo Samaniego for his outstanding contributions in advocating for the poor and

disenfranchised, and hereby proclaims June 22, 2002, as "FATHER EDUARDO

SAMANIEGO DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

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Stuart H. Swett

Senior Deputy City Attorney

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