

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 296754

ADOPTED ON JUL 08 2002

WHEREAS, B. Edward Ewing, Chief Executive Officer at United States Marine Repair/Southwest Marine in San Diego, California, as a visionary and trendsetter, has revolutionized the way ship repair is performed; and

WHEREAS, he has made significant contributions to the San Diego, California, economy, the vitality of the city's ship repair industry, the community at large, and the readiness of the greatest Fleet on earth; and

WHEREAS, he has enhanced the quality of life of our men and women in uniform by transforming Southwest Marine and creating a superior, safety-oriented setting for ship repair, modernization, conversion and overhaul; and

WHEREAS, B. Edward Ewing has shown that the "People are Important" philosophy, based on treating employees with dignity and respect, has lead to Southwest Marine becoming our "Customer's 1st Choice"; and

WHEREAS, he has proven that business can conduct day-to-day operations, while simultaneously preserving and protecting the environment for future generations; and

WHEREAS, B. Edward Ewing exemplifies the true American spirit and has demonstrated his unwavering commitment to the strong defense of our nation; 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 B. Edward Ewing for his outstanding contributions for Southwest Marine, and hereby proclaims June 26, 2002, as "**B. EDWARD EWING DAY**" in the City of San Diego.

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