RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 296902 ADOPTED ON AUG 0 5 2002

WHEREAS, the Jackie Robinson YMCA began to improve the quality of human life and help all people realize their fullest potential through the development of the spirit, mind, and body in 1943; and

WHEREAS, honored after the legendary Jackie Robinson in 1975, the Jackie Robinson Family YMCA has always offered children of Southeastern San Diego the opportunity to be spiritually grounded, family oriented, and college bound while providing everybody with the chance to be a winner in the biggest game of all – The Game of Life; and

WHEREAS, the Jackie Robinson YMCA family is a diverse group of people with experience from all types of past history, that work closely together to maintain a team and family atmosphere; and

WHEREAS, as the Executive Director, Michael Brunker represents the Jackie Robinson YMCA of San Diego County in the community, and is in command of fund raising, campaigns, special events, volunteer/board development, working with culturally diverse communities, and program development planning; and

WHEREAS, being the Executive Director of San Diego's "inner city" YMCA since 1997, he has increased the branch staff from eight to seventy, the Board of Members from twelve to thirty-eight, and the budget from \$450,000 to \$1.5 million this fiscal year; 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 Mr. Michael Brunker for his contributions to the City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that AUGUST 5, 2002, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "MR. MICHAEL BRUNKER 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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