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WHEREAS, the Coalition for Reproductive Choice was founded in 1985 by San Diego pro-choice organizations for the purpose of creating a strong public voice for reproductive rights and choice in San Diego County; and

WHEREAS, the goals of the Coalition for Reproductive Choice include supporting the right to make personal decisions related to reproductive choice; preserving the constitutional right to privacy related to childbearing decisions; and keeping abortion a safe, legal, and accessible option; and

WHEREAS, the Coalition for Reproductive Choice educates the public about reproductive health issues, sponsors events to promote public awareness of pro-choice issues, and raises money for the Make A Difference Fund to help impoverished women obtain needed abortions; and

WHEREAS, the Coalition for Reproductive Choice is recognizing the 30th anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court decision of *Roe v. Wade* which established the right of legal abortion in the United States as an option for all women; and

WHEREAS, on January 22, 2003, the Coalition for Reproductive Choice will celebrate this milestone at a gala dinner at Tom Ham's Lighthouse restaurant on Harbor Island; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of San Diego, that this

Council does hereby recognize the outstanding contributions that the COALITION FOR

REPRODUCTIVE CHOICE has made toward supporting the full range of reproductive rights for all people in the City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, January 22, 2003, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "COALITION FOR REPRODUCTIVE CHOICE DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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