

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 297846

ADOPTED ON APR 21 2003

WHEREAS, after 10 years, "Take Our Daughters To Work Day" and "Take Our Sons to Work Day" is being replaced with "Take Our Daughters And Sons To Work Day"; and

WHEREAS, this event is an entirely new program with a focus on girls and boys ages 8 to 12 that will emphasize dialogue between girls and boys, children and their parents, and employees and employers; and

WHEREAS, through this program participants will gain a greater sense of what their parents do for a living, and a greater understanding of the value of work, with the intention of helping people better integrate their work and family lives; and


WHEREAS, the City of San Diego's Women Employees Association [WEA] has been committed to this observance and has hosted over 5,000 youth over the years and welcomes the new format to encourage youth to envision a future in which they are able to be full participants in all aspects of their lives; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego is nationally acknowledged as a leader because of its commitment to a diverse workplace and educate its workforce to value and celebrate the unique contributions of a gender-balanced, multi-cultural workforce, while being sensitive to the demands of family; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego welcomes these young participants and encourages them to achieve their full potential, whether it is in the home, the workplace, or the community;
NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that April 24, 2003, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "**TAKE OUR DAUGHTERS AND SONS TO WORK DAY,**" and the City Council encourages families to use this special day as an opportunity to discuss the events of the day at home with their family members.

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