RESOLUTION NUMBER R-	297955
ADOPTED ON	MAY 1 9 2003

WHEREAS, Mary Walshok is a graduate from Pomona College and Indiana University, where she studied sociology, and currently serves as Associate Vice Chancellor for Public Programs and Dean of University Extension at the University of California at San Diego; and

WHEREAS, Mary Walshok is an invaluable member of the San Diego community, and has contributed greatly to the educational and social fabric of our City; and

WHEREAS, Mary Walshok has utilized her talents and leadership in her involvement in organizations such as UCSD CONNECT, San Diego Dialogue, the San Diego Foundation, and the San Diego Opera; and

WHEREAS, Mary Walshok was first appointed to the City of San Diego's Board of Library Commissioners in March 1995, and served as Chair from March 2000 to March 2003; and

WHEREAS, Mary Wálshok and the Board of Library Commissioners provided support in the development of the Library Improvements Program and Financing Plan, which were approved by the City Council in 2002 and will result in a 10-year program to replace or expand 24 library facilities throughout the City, including the construction of a new Main Library; and

WHEREAS, Mary Walshok has played an important role in the establishment of the San Diego Public Library Foundation, which was organized to seek, receive, invest, and administer contributions to support San Diego's public library system, and currently serves as the Chief Financial Officer of the Foundation; and

WHEREAS, on May 19, 2003, colleagues will come together to celebrate the many significant accomplishments of Mary Walshok and her outstanding role on the City of San Diego's Board of Library Commissioners; 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 Mary Walshok for her dedicated service on the City of San Diego's Board of Library Commissioners and to our community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that May 19, 2003, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "MARY WALSHOK DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

By

Lisa A. Foster

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