

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 298008

ADOPTED ON JUN 0 2 2003

WHEREAS, Pfizer Incorporated, the world's largest pharmaceutical company and a Fortune 500 company, researches, develops, manufactures and markets leading prescription medicines for humans and animals with products available in 150 countries worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Pfizer has its largest facility in the western U.S. located in La Jolla, a \$155 million research and development complex that employs more than 1,500 people, and is one of the largest such employers in the San Diego region; and

WHEREAS, Pfizer spent \$5.2 billion on research and development in 2002, the most by any such company in the world; and

WHEREAS, Pfizer's La Jolla research and development complex was established to develop treatments for HIV/AIDS, diabetes, obesity, cancer and eye disorders; and


WHEREAS, this year San Diego is hosting Pfizer's annual "National Regional Medical Research Conference" from June 2 through June 6; and

WHEREAS, volunteers from the Pfizer conference will conduct three community service projects, a homeless families' health fair at the Cortez Hill Homeless Family Shelter in partnership with Family Health Centers of San Diego, a bicycle building project for needy

children at the Sherman Heights Elementary School in partnership with Voluntours and a beach clean-up in partnership with the Surfrider Foundation; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that this City Council, for and on behalf of the citizens of San Diego declares that Wednesday, June 4, 2003, be "**Pfizer Day**" in the City of San Diego.

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