RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 298303 ADOPTED ON AUG 0 4 2003

WHEREAS, Janice Howard McElroy and Anne R. Sneed are entrepreneurs operating a woman-owned architectural and office design firm in Downtown with twenty employees; and

WHEREAS, Janice Howard McElroy, an alumna of the University of Tennessee and a thirty-year resident of the San Diego community founded the firm in August 1983 as J. Howard & Associates; and

WHEREAS, Anne R. Sneed, a graduate of Louisiana State University and a 25-year resident of the San Diego area, joined the firm as a full partner in 1994; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD-SNEED ARCHITECTURE and DESIGN is celebrating its 20th anniversary as a thriving design firm that has placed a spotlight on San Diego by garnering an international reputation while sustaining its headquarters in Downtown San Diego; and

WHEREAS, since its inception, HOWARD-SNEED has set the standard for high quality interior architecture and design with clients such as AT&T, Merrill Lynch, JP Morgan Chase, San Diego Padres, and Latham and Watkins; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD-SNEED has supported the community and San Diego social services through membership in the San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce, the Downtown San Diego Partnership, and the National Kidney Foundation; and provided countless examples of pro bono design and support for the Armed Forces YMCA and Rachel's House; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD-SNEED ARCHITECTURE and DESIGN has enhanced the community of San Diego by providing economic opportunity for top quality employees and services for countless leading San Diego firms; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the citizens of San Diego, does hereby recognize the exceptional contributions that Janice Howard McElroy and Anne R. Sneed have made to progress the business and social climate in the San Diego region.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that August 4, 2003, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "HOWARD-SNEED ARCHITECTURE and DESIGN DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

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