RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 298657

ADOPTED ON DEC 0 1 2003

WHEREAS, INTERNATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE is a time to lament the lives of persons lost at the hands of anti-transgender hatred and violence; and

WHEREAS, INTERNATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE recognizes the importance of remembering the lives of persons who were taken before their time; and

WHEREAS, the theme for INTERNATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE highlights the lives of individuals who can no longer enjoy their freedoms; and

WHEREAS, on November 20th, 2003, the San Diego Transgender Coalition, founded to promote education, tolerance, and equality, will continue a five-year tradition by participating in the INTERNATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE, remembering these lost lives; and

WHEREAS, the INTERNATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE is a community-wide education and outreach effort that reflects on the lives lost in the last year at the hands of violence and intolerance; 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 efforts of the San Diego Transgender Coalition to promote education and understanding of transgender individuals through the commemoration of and participation in the INTERNATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that November 20, 2003, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "INTERNATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE" in the City of San Diego.

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