RESOLUTION NUMBER RDEC 0 8 2003
ADOPTED ON

WHEREAS, the San Diego Performing Arts League was founded in 1983 as a non-profit organization that sponsors programs that promote and advance San Diego's performing arts; and

WHEREAS, the membership of the San Diego Performing Arts League has grown from 28 members at its founding to more than 140 theatre, music, and dance companies in San Diego County; and

WHEREAS, known as the San Diego community's chamber of commerce for the arts, the San Diego Performing Arts League has launched innovative programs such as the Times ARTS TIX booth at Horton Plaza which makes available to the public half-price tickets to local arts events; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Performing Arts League sponsors the San Diego community's annual signature arts event, BRAVO San Diego, which benefits local arts and business programs; and

WHEREAS, on December 8, 2003, the San Diego Performing Arts League will celebrate its 20th anniversary at a special celebration at The Westgate Hotel, during which it will reflect on its ongoing goal to promote and advance the arts well into the future; and

WHEREAS, at its 20th anniversary celebration, the San Diego Performing Arts League will also recognize the remarkable contributions of its retiring Executive Director, Alan Ziter, who has served nearly 18 years with the San Diego Performing Arts League and is credited for much of its success over the years; 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 and congratulate the San Diego Performing Arts League on the occasion of its 20th anniversary of service to arts and culture in our community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that December 8, 2003, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "SAN DIEGO PERFORMING ARTS LEAGUE 20TH ANNIVERSARY DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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