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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 299366 ADOPTED ON JUN 2 1 2004

WHEREAS, Linda Burleson, San Diego District Director for the U.S. Department of Labor, Wage Hour Division will retire leaving behind an outstanding and distinguished record, after personally helping thousands of wage earners obtain their legally due wages; and

WHEREAS, Linda Burleson, in her leadership role an District Director, provided firm, fair enforcement of labor laws pertaining to wage and housing conditions for migrant workers, youth rules and child labor, workers in the construction industry, and all other low wage earners in San Diego and Imperial Counties; and

WHEREAS, Linda Burleson is known as a trail blazer in woman's rights having been one of the first of two women to obtain the position of District Director during the early years of her career; and

WHEREAS, Linda Burleson received the U.S. Department of Labor, Federal Women's Program Personal Achievement Award in 1989; and

WHEREAS, it was remarkable, at the time, for a single welfare mother to go back to college, get a degree, pursue a professional career, and rise to the position of District Director; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council, that this Council, for and on behalf of the citizen's of San Diego, does hereby recognize Linda Burleson for her personal qualities of courage, determination and fairness, and her dedication in applying those virtues to the welfare of the citizens of San Diego and Imperial Counties.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that June 23, 2004, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "LINDA BURLESON DAY" in the City Of San Diego.

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