

WHEREAS, the Jewish Community Foundation was established in 1967, and it is the oldest community foundation in San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the Jewish Community Foundation is to promote philanthropy as an essential part of assuring a vibrant and secure community; and

WHEREAS, the assets of the Jewish Community Foundation currently total more than \$200 million; and

WHEREAS, the Jewish Community Foundation has awarded hundreds of millions of dollars in grants in support of both Jewish and general community organizations in San Diego, across the nation, and around the world; and

WHEREAS, the Jewish Community Foundation's Board is comprised of leaders respected throughout San Diego's communities; and

WHEREAS, the Jewish community created the Jewish Community Disaster Fund at the Jewish Community Foundation to mobilize and quickly provide assistance to those impacted by the San Diego wildfires of October 2003; and

WHEREAS, the Jewish Community Disaster Fund awarded \$50,000 to the San Diego Fire Department to provide vital equipment and services; 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 proclaim July 12, 2004, to be "JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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