RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 299630 ADOPTED ON SEP 1 3 2004

WHEREAS, Regi Phelps was born and raised in San Diego, California, and graduated from San Diego State University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics; and

WHEREAS, Regi served in the U.S. Navy from 1970-73 and completed overseas tours of duty in Vietnam and the Philippines; and

WHEREAS, after serving in the Navy, Regi went to work for Bechtel as a Subcontracts

Administrator on the Hope Creek Nuclear project in Southern New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, in 1978, Regi moved to Richmond, Virginia, where he began his career in labor relations for Virginia Electric Power Company at the North Anna Nuclear facility; and

WHEREAS, in 1979, Regi rejoined Bechtel in labor relations in the early days of construction at the San Onofre Nuclear Projects [SONGS]; and

WHEREAS, since his initial assignment with Bechtel at SONGS, Regi has served as a Labor Relations Representative, Area Labor Representative, Senior Labor Relations

Representative, Labor Relations Supervisor, and Regional Manager, and

WHEREAS, in February 2004, he was named Vice President and Manager of Labor Relations, Bechtel Constructions Company, with overall labor relations responsibility for Bechtel worldwide; and

WHEREAS, during Regi's 25 plus years in the field of labor relations, he has continued to support the SONGS project, and worked with the owner of Southern California Edison, the

San Diego Building Trades, and Bechtel in developing the SONGS Project Labor Agreement which has provided employment for thousands of Building Trades Craftspeople and over one million crafts hours annually; and

WHEREAS, Regi and his wife Christine have been married 28 years this October and reside in Orinda, California, located in the San Francisco Bay Area; 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 commend Regi Phelps for his continued commitment to labor relations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that September 11, 2004, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "REGI PHELPS DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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