

RESOLUTION NUMBER R 299736

ADOPTED ON OCT 11 2004

WHEREAS, the arts and humanities enhance and enrich the lives of every American; and

WHEREAS, the arts and humanities embody much of the accumulated wisdom, intellect, and imagination of human civilization, and influence various aspects of life in America including the economy, social problem solving, education, creativity, and community livability; and

WHEREAS, the nonprofit arts industry helps strengthen the national economy by generating approximately \$134 billion in economic activity annually and by supporting the full-time equivalent of 4.85 million jobs; and

WHEREAS, the arts and humanities contribute to the understanding of the rich diversity of San Diego's multicultural heritage, and help tell the story of the unique history and traditions of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, for more than a decade, the month of October has been recognized as National Arts and Humanities Month by the President of the United States, Congress, and individual states, in addition to the thousands of arts and cultural organizations, institutions, and communities across the nation; 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 the importance of the arts

and humanities, and urge our citizens to take part in the efforts to celebrate and promote the arts and culture in our community and our nation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that October 2004 be and is hereby proclaimed to be
“ARTS AND HUMANITIES MONTH” in the City of San Diego.

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