

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 299769

ADOPTED ON OCT 11 2004

WHEREAS, the International City/County Management Association [ICMA] is the professional and educational organization for appointed managers, administrators, and assistants in cities, towns, counties, and regional entities throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, ICMA has existed since 1914 and has nearly 8,000 members; and

WHEREAS, ICMA's mission is to create excellence in local government by developing and fostering professional local government management worldwide; and

WHEREAS, since 1914, ICMA has provided technical and management assistance, training and information resources to its members and the local government community; and

WHEREAS, the management decisions made by ICMA's nearly 8,000 members affect more than 100 million individuals in thousands of communities--from small towns with populations of a few hundred to metropolitan areas serving several million; and

WHEREAS, ICMA's core beliefs include: representative democracy; the highest standards of honesty and integrity in local governance as expressed in the ICMA Code of Ethics; the value of professional management as an integral component of effective local government; the council-manager form of government as the preferred form; the value of international Association; and ensuring diversity in local government and in the Association; and

WHEREAS, the 90th Annual Conference of ICMA is being held in San Diego, October 17-20, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the annual conference is ICMA's premier event attracting over 3,000 top local government managers to a broad range of speakers, educational workshops, field demonstrations, and social function events; and

WHEREAS, the Conference presents an outstanding opportunity for networking and to acquire new tools and techniques to address issues facing communities and local government administrators today; and

WHEREAS, the theme of this year's conference is "Catching the Next Wave: Local Government Management and Leadership in the Global Community"; 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 ICMA for its continued commitment to excellence in local government.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that October 17th-20th, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "INTERNATIONAL CITY/COUNTY MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION DAYS" in the City of San Diego.

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