RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 300318
ADOPTED ON APR 1 8 2005

WHEREAS, the SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE is a non-profit visual arts organization in Balboa Park, offering a continuing exhibition opportunity to hundreds of San Diego area artists and an ever-changing display of outstanding visual art to thousands of visitors to our region; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE is to make San Diego a nationally and internationally recognized arts community; and

WHEREAS, the SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE maintains a center for emerging and established artists and the visual arts in San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE achieves its mission and vision through the development and implementation of innovative and effective education, exhibition, and outreach programs; and

WHEREAS, the SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE is one of the few venues where Southern California artists, both emerging and established, can compete regularly through the jurying process; and

WHEREAS, the SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE is celebrating its 48th International Awards Exhibition, the only all-media internationally promoted exhibition of its type in the region honoring award-winning artists, at an Opening Gala Reception on Saturday, April 30, 2005; and

WHEREAS, as part of the 48th International Awards Exhibition Opening Gala Reception, the SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE will honor Dr. Roger Cornell by presenting him with the seventh annual Visuals Arts "Ginger" Award, recognizing his exceptional efforts in the visual arts in Southern California; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and the Council of San Diego, that this Council, for and behalf of the people of San Diego, commends the SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE/MUSEUM OF THE LIVING ARTIST for their commitment to support and sustain visual artists and the visual arts in the San Diego region, and congratulates them on the occasion of the 48th International Awards Exhibition.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that April 30, 2005, be and is hereby proclaimed to be, "SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE/MUSEUM OF THE LIVING ARTIST DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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