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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 300694

ADOPTED ON JUL 25 2005

WHEREAS, Sister Marina was the first Linda Vista Housing Counselor at Bayside Community Center, aiding in the education and empowerment of residents in understanding their rights and responsibilities as tenants and landowners; and

WHEREAS, Sister Marina was instrumental in providing a safe and secure place for residents with housing issues to receive appropriate and accurate advice on landlord/tenant issues, fair housing, and home ownership; and she has raised the bar for all counselors that follow; and

WHEREAS, Sister Marina served as a community organizer for the San Diego Organizing Project; and

WHEREAS, Sister Marina worked for the Faith Based HIV/AIDS Prevention program for San Diego County's Office of AIDS Coordination; and

WHEREAS, Sister Marina served on the Board of Sofia Immigration Services and performed volunteer work at the Sherman Heights Community Center; and

WHEREAS, anyone who has had the pleasure of meeting Sister Marina knows that her work ethic and bright disposition make everyone feel that they not only have an excellent informational resource but also a welcoming friend; 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 Sister Marina for her tireless commitment to educating and empowering the lives of those she has touched.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that July 25, 2005, be and is hereby proclaimed to be
"MARINA HERNANDEZ r.s.c.j. DAY" in the City of San Diego

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