

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 300914

ADOPTED ON OCT 10 2005

WHEREAS, Augustine Gallego, former Chancellor of the San Diego Community College District, will be honored with the Lifetime Achievement Award at the Festival de Septiembre ~ Feria de la Vida Mágica Gala 2005; and

WHEREAS, Augustine Gallego has provided decades of leadership and commitment to youth and our community through his distinguished career in higher education and his devotion to diversity, economic development, contracting opportunities, and philanthropy that has benefited communities throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, Augustine Gallego, who was named chancellor of the San Diego Community College District in 1990, exemplifies the values of lifelong learning, respect, diversity, and philanthropy throughout his career and volunteer roles with local nonprofit organizations; and

WHEREAS, Augustine Gallego, as the leader and chief fundraiser for the successful \$685 million capital improvement campaign for the San Diego Community College District, met with business and community groups as well as secured contributions and endorsements that resulted in the many improvements to the District; and

WHEREAS, Augustine Gallego, a leading proponent of improving diversity in education and the workplace, collaborated with elementary and secondary schools as well as universities and employers to broaden access for all individuals; and

WHEREAS, Augustine Gallego continues to initiate efforts within the Community College District and to assist other community colleges in expanding international programs, exchanges, and curriculums to improve understanding and appreciation of diverse cultures throughout the world; and

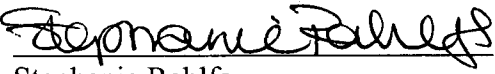
WHEREAS, Augustine Gallego has an extensive background in public service and has served on the board of directors for the San Diego Dialogue, the International Community Foundation, the United Way of San Diego County, and the Commission on Children, Youth, and Families; and

WHEREAS, on September 24, 2005, Augustine Gallego will be honored at the Festival de Septiembre ~ Feria de la Vida Mágica Gala 2005 to benefit the Chicano Federation of San Diego County and KSWB Cares for Kids; 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 Augustine Gallego and commend him for his dedication to education.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that September 24, 2005, be and is hereby proclaimed to be “**AUGUSTINE GALLEGO DAY**” in the City of San Diego.

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