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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 301001

ADOPTED ON OCT 31 2005

WHEREAS, Florence Byerly Covell turned 100 years old today, born on November 4, 1905, in Chicago, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Florence Byerly Covell graduated from Milwaukee-Downer College, and in 1965, married otolaryngologist Walter Covell with whom she traveled the world by freighter for nine years; and

WHEREAS, Florence Byerly Covell worked for the May Co. of St. Louis and was Decorating Editor of Better Homes and Gardens for 16 years; and

WHEREAS, Florence Byerly Covell was very active in the Mingei Museum, a San Diego museum of traditional and contemporary folk art, craft, and design focused on understanding the art of people from cultures all over the world; and

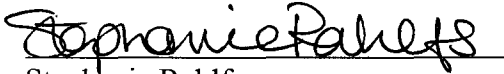
WHEREAS, Florence Byerly Covell has been involved in the Institute for Continued Learning, a self-directed and self-supported education program for retirees and semi-retirees sponsored by the University of California; and

WHEREAS, Florence Byerly Covell is still avidly interested in world affairs, international politics, and new discoveries in science and technology; and

WHEREAS, Florence Byerly Covell has been a well respected and important resident of The White Sands of La Jolla for 21 years; 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 proclaim November 4, 2005, to be "FLORENCE BYERLY COVELL DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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