

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 301075

ADOPTED ON NOV 28 2005

WHEREAS, the Panama-California Exposition opened in Balboa Park on January 1, 1915, to celebrate the completion of the Panama Canal, one of the greatest engineering feats ever attempted; and

WHEREAS, the forward-thinking citizens of San Diego recognized the importance of their City, over a century ago, as having the first deep water port north of Mexico and recognized this as a path towards enhanced relationships with the Latin American neighbors to the south; and

WHEREAS, the legacy of the Panama-California Exposition is Balboa Park, the jewel in San Diego's crown; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Museum of Man can trace its origin to November of 1915, with the incorporation of the San Diego Museum Association in the buildings surrounding the California Plaza; and

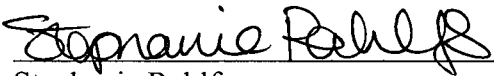
WHEREAS, the San Diego Museum of Man was established for the purpose of disseminating the story of human development and preserving for posterity the cultural accomplishments of the people of the Western Americas; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Museum of Man is integral in the history of Balboa Park and the City of San Diego; 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 the Museum of Man, on the occasion of its 90th Anniversary, for its invaluable contributions to the cultural fabric of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that November 2005 be and is hereby proclaimed to be **“SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF MAN 90TH ANNIVERSARY MONTH”** in the City of San Diego.

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