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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 301219  
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WHEREAS, January 29, 2006, will be Vietnamese Lunar New Year Day; and

WHEREAS, the Lunar New Year is celebrated by many Asian cultures around the world and is the most important holiday in Vietnam, where it is known as “Tết”; and

WHEREAS, in San Diego County, the Vietnamese American population (including multiracial individuals) numbers 36,512 according to the 2000 U S. census, and

WHEREAS, the Vietnamese American Youth Alliance (VAYA) is a nonprofit organization founded in 2003 to bring together youth for community service and leadership development, and

WHEREAS, the Tết Festival aims to promote community involvement and cultural education in addition to being a festive New Year celebration, and

WHEREAS, San Diego is a city that celebrates special events, embraces cultural diversity, and encourages community building, 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 the Vietnamese American Youth Alliance for its efforts to increase leadership among Vietnamese American youth and to enrich the community in San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that January 29, 2006, be and is hereby proclaimed o be  
"VIETNAMESE LUNAR NEW YEAR DAY" in the City of San Diego

APPROVED. MICHAEL J AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By Stephanie Rahlfs  
Stephanie Rahlfs  
Deputy City Attorney

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of  
San Diego, at its meeting of FEB 06 2005

ELIZABETH S MALAND  
City Clerk

By [Signature]  
Deputy City Clerk

Approved Feb 09, 06  
(date)

JSL  
JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

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JERRY SANDERS, Mayor