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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 301284

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAR 1 5 2006

WHEREAS, KAREN MARSHALL is a licensed clinical social worker and former executive director of the San Diego Lesbian and Gay Men's Community Center [The Center], who has devoted her adult life to addressing the needs of individuals and their families; and

WHEREAS, during her 13 years of service to The Center, KAREN MARSHALL expanded the overall agency by increasing the operating budget from \$1 million to \$3 million through adding new individual donors and obtaining new government and private grant funding, increased staff from 25 to 50, and added 300 volunteers to double the total to 600 resulting in an increase in the number of clients served from 4,000 to 7,000 monthly; and

WHEREAS, while at The Center, KAREN MARSHALL developed and expanded programs to meet the wide range of diverse needs of the LGBT community, including HIV prevention education, disabled services, substance abuse counseling, the founding of a lesbian health project and an anti-violence project, senior services, gay youth services, support for gay and lesbian military personnel, social activities and mental health programs, opened a North County satellite office, shepherded the organization into a new site location, and worked to improve relations between the LGBT community and local, state, and federal elected officials; and

WHEREAS, because of her strong background in social service and her stellar accomplishments working with the LGBT and HIV/AIDS communities, KAREN MARSHALL was appointed and served as a City Commissioner on the City of San Diego Human Relations Commission from March 2002 to December 2005; and

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WHEREAS, KAREN MARSHALL has been recognized as the Outstanding Field

Instructor of the Year in 1998-1999 by the San Diego State School of Social Work; for

Outstanding Service by a Distinguished Citizen in 1999 by the San Diego Bar Association; as

Citizen of the Year in 1998 by the LGBT community's Nicky Awards; with a special

commendation from Councilmember Christine Kehoe in 1997 for outstanding service to the

LGBT community; with the Gloria Steinem Communications Award in 1994 by the San Diego

Democratic Club; and with the Jess Jessop Memorial Founders Award in 1993 by the San Diego

Lesbian and Gay Men's Community Center; and

WHEREAS, throughout her professional career as a licensed clinical social worker,

social service director, community activist, and City Commissioner, KAREN MARSHALL has

dedicated herself to improving and protecting the quality of life of all people; 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 KAREN MARSHALL and

commend her for her service to the San Diego Human Relations Commission and for her nearly

two decades of service to San Diego's LGBT and HIV/AIDS communities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that February 15, 2006, be and is hereby proclaimed to

be "KAREN MARSHALL DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By

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 this meeting of **MAR 0 7 2006**.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By Maunel E. Keltalian
Deputy City Clerk

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed:

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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Council Members	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Ineligible
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Kevin Faulconer				
Toni Atkins				
Anthony Young				
Brian Maienschein				
Donna Frye				
Jim Madaffer				
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