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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 301293

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WHEREAS, Ellen Oppenheim joined the City of San Diego on June 10, 2002; and WHEREAS, Ellen Oppenheim served as the Director of the Park and Recreation Department from June 10, 2002, until May 16, 2005, overseeing the second largest municipal park system in the nation; and

WHEREAS, Ellen Oppenheim's leadership as the Park and Recreation Director ensured that during her tenure more than 80 park capital improvement projects, valued in excess of \$40 million, were completed in communities throughout the City of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, Ellen Oppenheim's commitment to teamwork and public service earned her tremendous respect among the employees, peers, other governmental agencies, and non-profits that she worked with over the years; and

WHEREAS, Ellen Oppenheim's extensive experience and professional integrity were highlighted by her appointment to Deputy City Manager on May 16, 2005; and

WHEREAS, during her tenure with the City of San Diego, Ellen Oppenheim willingly and graciously gave her time to mentor others, creating a culture of learning and continual improvement wherever she worked; and

WHEREAS, Ellen Oppenheim was appointed Deputy Chief of Neighborhood and Customer Services by the Mayor of the City of San Diego on January 10, 2006; and

WHEREAS, Ellen Oppenheim's commitment to Excellence, Diversity, Accountability, Recognition, and Collaboration during her four-year tenure with the City of San Diego always served the best interests of the citizens 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 citizens of San Diego, does hereby proclaim March 21, 2006, to be "ELLEN OPPENHEIM DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

Stephanie Rahlfs
Deputy City Attorney

SR:jb 03/10/2006 Or.Dept:Council President Peters & Council-Frye R-2006-792

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of MAR 2 1 2006.

Approved: 3-24-06
(date)

By Maurel E. Kelttum
Deputy City Clerk

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_\_

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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ELIZABETH S. MALAND

City Clerk

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ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By Many- Cepta, Deputy

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