

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 301301

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAR 24 2006

WHEREAS, THE SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART celebrates its 80th anniversary on February 28, 2006, and for 80 years has displayed fine art for the enjoyment of the citizens of San Diego as well as visitors from around the world; and

WHEREAS, THE SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART opened its doors to the public on February 28, 1926, in its current Balboa Park location, and the museum's home was designed and constructed by William Templeton Johnson, and was funded through the generous gift of San Diego businessman and civic leader Appleton S. Bridges; and

WHEREAS, THE SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART is inviting the community to several public events to celebrate its birthday, including a festive birthday party and cake-cutting ceremony on February 28, 2006, and guests can visit the museum with a 25-cent admission, which was the rate charged when San Diego Museum of Art opened in 1926; and

WHEREAS, THE SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART will follow the 80th anniversary birthday party with a series of events that include exhibitions reminiscent of its opening year in 1926, art-making activities for families, the opening of the museum for a continuous 80 hours, and an 80th birthday black-tie gala; and

WHEREAS, THE SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART will host a year of exhibitions that focus on and explore its collection and acquisitions, and exhibitions that feature American and international artists spanning several centuries; and

WHEREAS, THE SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART's mission is to transform lives through art, and it fulfills this mission through the making of fine art available for the citizens of San Diego and through arts education programs; and

WHEREAS, THE SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART's 80th year also heralds the start of a major project to restore the museum's historic façade that will preserve the legacy of its historic structure and its treasured contents; 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 accomplishments of the San Diego Museum of Art and commends the dynamic art museum for its efforts to educate and inform the people and visitors of the City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that February 28, 2006, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "THE SAN DIEGO MUSEUM OF ART DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By Stephanie Rahlfs  
Stephanie Rahlfs  
Deputy City Attorney

SR:jb  
02/23/2006  
Or.Dept:Mayor & Council-Atkins  
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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 21 2006~~

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk

By Maureen E. Ketchum  
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 3-24-06  
(date)

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JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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

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JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on MAR 21 2006, by the following vote:

Council Members	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Ineligible
Scott Peters	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kevin Faulconer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Toni Atkins	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Anthony Young	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Brian Maienschein	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donna Frye	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jim Madaffer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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AUTHENTICATED BY:

JERRY SANDERS  
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

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

By *Mary Cepeda*, Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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