

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 301455

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAY 19 2006

WHEREAS, in 2004, nearly 14 million children lived in homes rated “food insecure,” meaning they were hungry or at risk of hunger; and this number is steadily rising each year; and

WHEREAS, researchers have found that even mild under-nutrition suffered by young children during critical periods of growth may affect brain development as well as overall physical development; and

WHEREAS, only slightly more than 2 million of the 16.9 million low-income children who received free or reduced-price meals through the National School Lunch Program participated in the Summer Food Service Program, suggesting millions were hungry over summer vacation; and

WHEREAS, added to these statistics are the recent impacts of Hurricane Katrina and other natural disasters, bringing the seriousness of hunger in America to the forefront; and

WHEREAS, more than 1,300 National Association of Letter Carriers [NALC] branches nationwide have signed up to collect food donations from postal customers on May 13, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the NALC 2005 Food Drive was successful in collecting 71.3 million pounds of food; and

WHEREAS, the NALC Food Drive is the largest one-day food drive in the nation, and the nation’s hungry families depend on it to replenish supplies at community food banks,

pantries and shelters that have struggled through the events of the past year; 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 many NALC members and volunteers for their ongoing dedication in providing basic needs for their fellow citizens.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that May 13, 2006, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By Stuart H. Swett  
Catherine M. Bradley  
Chief Deputy City Attorney

For

CMB:jab  
04/26/2006  
Or.Dept:Council-Frye  
R-20063-919

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of MAY 16 2006

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk

By [Signature]  
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 5-19-06  
(date)

[Signature]  
JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

**MAY 16 2006**

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on \_\_\_\_\_, 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donna Frye	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jim Madaffer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ben Hueso	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage **MAY 19 2006**

AUTHENTICATED BY:

(Seal)

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

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

By Debbie Swenson-Cruz, Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California  
Resolution Number R-301455