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RESOLUTION NUMBER R-__ DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAY 3 1 2006

WHEREAS, STARLIGHT THEATRE was founded in 1945 as the San Diego Civic Light Opera Company and presented its first season in 1946 with Gilbert and Sullivan's Mikado, in the San Diego Zoo's Wegeforth Bowl, and is one of the country's oldest continuously producing theater companies; and

WHEREAS, STARLIGHT THEATRE celebrates its 60th anniversary on May 6th with an Anniversary Gala at the San Diego Marriott Hotel and Marina, and will continue its celebration with the opening of their 2006 season in June with a delightful mix of family classics and new shows from Broadway; and

WHEREAS, STARLIGHT THEATRE has presented 59 seasons of musical entertainment, offering 1,268 performances of 131 productions that have attracted more than 4 million San Diegans and visitors; and

WHEREAS, STARLIGHT THEATRE aims to strengthen its role in the community by expanding outreach to children and families, and creating employment and hands-on training in the arts; and

WHEREAS, STARLIGHT THEATRE is currently housed in the Starlight Bowl in Balboa Park, offering productions under the stars on a modern stage before a house that seats 3,850 theatergoers; 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 Starlight Theatre and commends the regional theater for its efforts to entertain and educate the people and visitors of the City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that May 6, 2006, be and is hereby proclaimed to be, "STARLIGHT THEATRE 60th ANNIVERSARY DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

Ву	Stuat H. Swett
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	Senior Deputy City Attorney

SHS:jab 05/08/2006 Or.Dept:Council-Atkins R-2006-949

I hereby certify that the foregoing Besolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of ______.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND

City Clerk

Approved: 5.31-06

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Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on	by the following vote:
Council Members Yeas	Nays Not Present Ineligible
Scott Peters	
Kevin Faulconer	
Toni Atkins	
Anthony Young	
Brian Maienschein	
Donna Frye	
Jim Madaffer	
Ben Hueso	
Date of final passage	
	JERRY SANDERS
AUTHENTICATED BY:	Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.
	ELIZABETH S. MALAND
(Seal)	City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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