

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 301880

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE SEP 1 9 2006:

WHEREAS, the Midnight Madness Bicycle Ride was founded to assist and change the lives of many of San Diego's at-risk youth; and

WHEREAS, Midnight Madness, currently presented by the Uptown Optimist Club of San Diego, is in its 33rd year as a fundraising event, and over the years have raised hundreds of thousands of dollars for educational, vocational, and cultural opportunities for the children of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, Midnight Madness will raise vitally needed funds to support the YMCA of San Diego County's 6-to-6 Program; and

WHEREAS, Midnight Madness, through the creation of a program called "Fantastic Fridays," as a means of motivation, will fund a field trip every Friday during the school year to reward students' exemplary work and behavior; and

WHEREAS, Midnight Madness, through their "Dollars for Scholars" program, will make a donation to a trust account for each student who participates in the year-long curriculum. Also, as a means of motivation, the accounts are available upon the graduation of each participant; and

WHEREAS, Midnight Madness, through their fundraising efforts and programs, has made strides to address the unacceptably high drop-out rate among center city students; and

WHEREAS, this year, Midnight Madness expects that over 3000 riders will show their commitment to the youth of San Diego by "Riding a Bike & Changing a Life!" and participating in a 20-mile, midnight bike ride around San Diego Bay; 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 recognize the contributions of Midnight Madness and commends the organization's commitment to the youth of our City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that August 19, 2006, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "MIDNIGHT MADNESS DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By

Catherine M. Bradley

Chief Deputy City Attorney

CMB:jab 08/03/2006 Or.Dept:Council Atkins R-2007-129

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of <u>SEP 1 2 2006</u>.

Approved: 9.19.06

(date) JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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| ssed by the Council of The City of San Diego on |                |   | SEP 1 2 2006 , by the following vote: |             |            |
| Council Members                                 | Yeas           | • | Nays                                  | Not Present | Ineligible |
| Scott Peters                                    |                |   |                                       |             |            |
| Kevin Faulconer                                 |                |   |                                       |             |            |
| Toni Atkins                                     |                | • |                                       |             |            |
| Anthony Young                                   |                |   |                                       |             |            |
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Jim Madaffer Ben Hueso

Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

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

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