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WHEREAS, illiteracy is a nationwide crisis that precludes many Americans from achieving a higher quality of life by putting them at a disadvantage in the workplace and in many learning environments; and

WHEREAS, twenty-six percent of adults in San Diego are functionally illiterate and twenty-five percent of high school graduates read below an eighth grade level; and

WHEREAS, Family Literacy Day encourages supportive relationships for children through family and friends in an effort to positively influence a child's learning habits; and

WHEREAS, in conjunction with Family Literacy Day, the Salvation Army Ray and Joan Kroc Corps Community Center will encourage families to build a solid foundation for childrens' success in school through a number of programs including Youth Reading Role Models, Uniting Through Reading, Building Bridges with Books, and Reading Roots; and

WHEREAS, these programs have impacted over 100,000 children by providing them with the teaching and support necessary to strengthen their reading skills; and

WHEREAS, the Salvation Army Ray and Joan Kroc Corps Community Center provides partnerships and programs to answer the needs of our communities by recruiting and training a vast network of dedicated volunteers and by forming unique partnerships with companies and agencies devoted to putting an end to illiteracy in our country; 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, recognizes and salutes the Salvation Army Ray and Joan Kroc Community Service Center for its hard work and dedication to eliminating illiteracy.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that September 30, 2006, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "FAMILY LITERACY DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By Catherine M. Bradley
Catherine M. Bradley
Chief Deputy City Attorney

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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 OCT 10 2006.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By [Signature]
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 10.17.06
(date)

[Signature]
JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on OCT 10 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 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"/>
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AUTHENTICATED BY:

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

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

(Seal)

By Mary Cepeda, Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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