

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 502274

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE JAN 17 2007

WHEREAS, Annette Eros has been the Executive Director of Ronald McDonald House Charities for fourteen years; directing daily operations and guest and Child Life services; overseeing facility management and policy-procedure development; and being the primary contact and community liaison for all fund-raising and grant-giving activities; and

WHEREAS, during her tenure as Executive Director, Annette has expanded the budget, staff and activities of House; helping to meet the needs of children and families in San Diego, particularly those staying at Ronald McDonald House; and

WHEREAS, Annette has developed the Charity's funding capability, overseen scholarship and grant programs while presiding over the development of several other activities, including a popular, volunteer-driven dinner program, and the integrated other House programs with services provided by Children's Hospital; and

WHEREAS, Annette has also advanced the Charity's grant giving to a wide range of organizations serving children in San Diego; and

WHEREAS, in the past two years, Annette has prepared the Charity to undertake a capitol campaign to build an urgently needed 47-bedroom House, and has led negotiations with Children's Hospital while being involved in all aspects of the project from site selection and design to fund-raising and redirecting the organization's focus; and

WHEREAS, Annette has truly been the driving force in fulfilling the Charity's mission of assisting children and families facing critical illnesses. She has been the public face of House, and has advocated effectively for families on numerous occasions. She has very capably given

voice to the needs of families in medical crisis, and raised the community awareness of House's efforts to help these families; 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 and thank Annette Eros for her determination in carrying out the goals of Ronald McDonald House Charities and her dedication to youth and families in the City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that December 7, 2006, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "ANNETTE EROS 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 JAN 09 2007.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk  
By [Signature]  
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 1.17.07  
(date)

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JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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

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JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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