

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 302958

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE SEP 17 2007

WHEREAS, Jamie Barton began his career with Cement Masons Local 744 San Diego in 1982 at the age of 18 immediately following graduation from San Diego High School; and

WHEREAS, in 1985, Jamie Barton graduated first in his apprenticeship class and received his Cement Mason Trade Certificate from Mesa College; and

WHEREAS, in 1988, Jamie Barton was approached by the Financial Secretary of Local 744 to become the Apprenticeship Coordinator for the Cement Masons Apprenticeship; and

WHEREAS, in 1990, Jamie Barton was elected a Business Agent for Local 744, a position he has held ever since; and

WHEREAS, in 1999, Jaime Barton graduated from Mesa College with an Associates

Degree and continued his educational quest at the George Meany Labor College with a

Bachelors Degree in Political Economics of Labor; and

WHEREAS, Jamie Barton has also been a Trustee of the San Diego County Cement Mason Trust Funds since 1992; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his work with Local 744, Jamie Barton has been a speaker, moderator and Trustee Committee Member of the International Foundation of Employee Benefits; and

WHEREAS, Jamie Barton has been closely involved with the Cement Mason

Apprenticeship dedicated donation projects, which help non-profit organizations throughout San

Diego County; and

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WHEREAS, the San Diego Blind Center, San Diego Children's Museum and Habitat for

Humanity are just three among the many projects that Jamie Barton has been instrumental in;

and

WHEREAS, Jamie Barton recently became a member of the LEAD San Diego Graduate

Program, which develops future leaders of San Diego County; and

WHEREAS, Jamie Barton is the proud father of Samantha, 18, and Chase, 10; 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 Jamie Barton for his years of

service to the San Diego labor community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that September 8, 2007, be and is hereby proclaimed to

be, "JAMIE BARTON DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

Chief Deputy City Attorney

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Or.Dept:Council-Atkins

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