

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 303414

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE FEB 26 2008

WHEREAS, the Pan Asian Lawyers of San Diego [PALSD] and the Filipino American Lawyers of San Diego [FALSD] were founded 30 years ago when Asian and Pacific Islander Americans were still largely absent from San Diego courthouses; and

WHEREAS, PALSD and FALSD have since grown into prominent legal associations filled with respected lawyers, state and federal judges and public officials; and

WHEREAS, these two organizations have dedicated themselves to serving both the legal community and all citizens of San Diego through a combination of advocacy and volunteering; and

WHEREAS, PALSD and FALSD have provided scholarships for law students, mentorship opportunities for students and new attorneys, continuing legal education for experienced lawyers, and hours of pro bono work and other volunteer services to assist the public; and

WHEREAS, the message of PALSD and FALSD has been one of multicultural solutions, increased diversification and the creation of multicultural coalitions throughout the legal system; and

WHEREAS, the dedication of PALSD and FALSD in advocating the interests of Asian and Pacific Islander Americans has consistently fostered greater equality of opportunity within the legal profession; and

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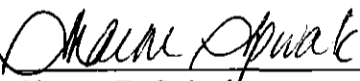
WHEREAS, PALSD and FALSD strive to preserve the culture, heritage and diversity of the Asian Pacific American and Filipino American communities; and

WHEREAS, PALSD and FALSD have played a fundamental role in the progress of the San Diego legal community in recent years; 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 Pan Asian Lawyers of San Diego and Filipino American Lawyers of San Diego for their crucial influence on the San Diego legal profession.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that January 25, 2008, be and is hereby proclaimed to be, "**PAN ASIAN LAWYERS OF SAN DIEGO AND FILIPINO AMERICAN LAWYERS OF SAN DIEGO DAY**" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, 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 FEB 19 2008.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk

By *Jana Richardson*  
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 2-26-08  
(date)

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JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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

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JERRY SANDERS, Mayor