RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 303901

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WHEREAS, The National Council of La Raza is the largest national Hispanic civil rights and advocacy organization in the United States and works to improve opportunities for Hispanic Americans. Through its network of nearly 300 affiliated community-based organizations, the National Council of La Raza reaches millions of Hispanics each year in 41 states, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia; and

WHEREAS, The National Council of La Raza was founded in 1968 and is a private, nonprofit, nonpartisan, tax-exempt organization headquartered in Washington, D.C. The National Council of La Raza serves all Hispanic subgroups in all regions of the country and has operations in Atlanta, Chicago, Los Angeles, New York, Phoenix, Sacramento, San Antonio, and San Juan, Puerto Rico; and

WHEREAS, The National Council of La Raza serves all Hispanic nationality groups in all regions of the country through its formal network of nearly 300 Affiliates and a broader network of more than 35,000 groups and individuals nationwide, reaching millions of Hispanics annually. The National Council of La Raza welcomes affiliation from independent Hispanic groups that share its goals and self-help philosophy. It also assists Hispanic groups that are not formal Affiliates through issue networks on health, education, housing, leadership, and other issue areas; and

WHEREAS, The National Council of La Raza staff belongs to and helps lead many issue-focused coalitions and associations, cooperating with other nonprofit organizations and private-sector entities on issues ranging from welfare reform to charter schools. All of The

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National Council of La Raza's national projects include efforts to educate public and private

organizations about Hispanic needs and help them develop partnerships with community-based

organizations. As a member of the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, the National Council

of La Raza also carries out joint projects with other Latino organizations and its sister civil rights

organizations to advocate for increased opportunities for Latinos throughout the country; and

WHEREAS, The National Council of La Raza will be hosting its 40th Annual

Conference in America's Finest City, from July 12-15, 2008, and more than 20,000 conference

attendees from across the United States will be attending this momentous event. San Diego is

proud to be the host city -- a city with Latin flare, rich history, and world-class attractions - for

the conference; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of San Diego, that this

Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, does hereby proclaim July 8, 2008 as

"NATIONAL COUNCIL OF LA RAZA DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

Deputy City Attorney

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