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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 304065

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WHEREAS, founded in 1890 and chartered by the U. S. Congress in 1901, the Clairemont Women's Club is part of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, one of the world's largest and oldest nonpartisan, nondenominational, women's volunteer service organizations, and

WHEREAS, when Clairemont was first beginning to evolve as a new community in San Diego, there were few services, churches, schools, libraries, and parks available to the residents. The founding members of the Women's Club would later become prominent names in the community because they were young and energetic women who strived to build a wholesome and safe environment for their growing families. These women include Esther and Mavia Burgener, Maxine Green, and Maude Laracy, and

WHEREAS, in 2004, the Club celebrated its 50th anniversary of promoting social concerns, civic interests and education for the community; and

WHEREAS, the Clairemont Women's Club has participated in a range of activities in the areas of health, safety, crime prevention, beautification and recreation; and

WHEREAS, the Club's members enjoy many social events, sports activities, and outings to the theater and museums. They also pursue a multitude of hobbies together ranging from gardening to travel; and

WHEREAS, the list of accomplishments that the Clairemont Women's Club has compiled in its first 50 years is vast and impressive. It includes involvement in starting the Boy's

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Club, participating in a pilot program to test newborn infants' hearing, starting the Clairemont

Senior Friendship Center, and establishing the first San Diego County Poison Information

Center, and

WHEREAS, the Clairemont Women's Club presently has over 50 members, including at

least one Charter Member, Donnie Bailey, the Club's "Woman of the Year" in 1958. The Club

always welcomes new members and will continue its work in the community; 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 proclaim August 2, 2008 to be "Clairemont

Women's Club Day" in the City of San Diego, and does hereby commend the Club for its tireless

commitment to the community of Clairemont.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By

Sharon B. Spivak

Deputy City Attorney

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Or.Dept:Council-Frye

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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 SEP - 2 2008

ELIZABETH S MALAND

City Clerk

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Approved:	9-11-9	$\pm \Omega$
	(date)	JERRY SANDERS, Mayor
Vetoed:		
	(date)	JERRY SANDERS, Mayor