

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 304066
DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE SEP 11 2008

WHEREAS, on August 28, 1883, John J. Montgomery made the first manned, controlled, heavier-than-air flights of the United States in the Otay Mesa area of San Diego, California; and

WHEREAS, Montgomery as an aviation pioneer and inventor, used his scientific and technical knowledge and skills to create innovative approaches to fulfill the needs of society; and

WHEREAS, Montgomery made outstanding contributions to aviation by his early research into the nature of the laws of flight; and

WHEREAS, Montgomery built and tested a series of gliders by developing improved methods of glider control, and brought wide-spread attention to aviation by the public demonstrations of his glider; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego is committed to recognizing and honoring those individuals that are dedicated to the best ideals of public service, and John J. Montgomery was one such pioneer and worthy individual; 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 give tribute to the aviation accomplishments in recognition of John J. Montgomery and his ever lasting contributions to the world.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that August 23, 2008, be is hereby proclaimed to be
"JOHN J. MONTGOMERY 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 SEP - 2 2008.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By *Elizabeth S. Maland*
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 9-11-08
(date)

Jerry Sanders
JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor