

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 304117
DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE SEP 23 2008

WHEREAS, Unite in Peace is an organization which honors the heroic men, women and children of the September 11, 2001 tragedy by uniting youth in global discussion through artistic expression with their personal messages of peace; and

WHEREAS, Unite in Peace was created from the vision of Michele Little, whose younger brother, Fire Department of New York Firefighter David M. Weiss of Rescue 1, Midtown Manhattan, tragically died in the World Trade Center on September 11, 2001; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Unite in Peace is based on David Weiss' legacy of humanitarian service and sharing brotherhood and unity around the world through youth; and

WHEREAS, Unite in Peace first included a program for the San Diego youth to gift Whirled Peace/Pinwheels of Peace with personal messages of peace and hope to the families affected by the September 11, 2001 tragedy; and

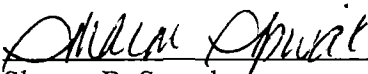
WHEREAS, due to the success and overwhelming positive effect of the program, Unite in Peace has given over 14,000 Whirled Peace/Pinwheels of Peace to children around the world in the midst of adversity and tragedy including war-torn areas, orphanages and refugee camps; and

WHEREAS, on October 18, 2008, Unite in Peace will hold "Steps to Heal Walkfest for 9/11 Heroes," an event to promote awareness of the urgent need for medical and daily attention for First Responders and their families; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of San Diego, that the Mayor and this Council, for and behalf of the people of San Diego, do hereby recognize Unite in Peace for its leadership in community service and commend the organization for its dedication and tireless work for those who have been affected by adversity and tragedy.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that September 16, 2008, be and is hereby proclaimed to be "UNITE IN PEACE DAY" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED. MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By 
Sharon B. Spivak
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 16 2008.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 9-23-08
(date)


JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on SEP 16 2008, by the following vote:

Council Members	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Scott Peters	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kevin Faulconer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Toni Atkins	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Anthony Young	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Brian Maienschein	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donna Frye	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jim Madaffer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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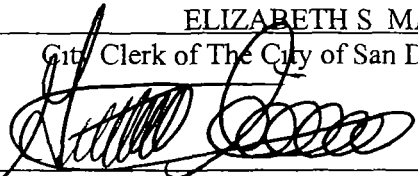
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AUTHENTICATED BY

JERRY SANDERS
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California

(Seal)

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By , Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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