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WHEREAS, the arts and humanities enhance and enrich the lives of all Americans; and

WHEREAS, the month of October has been recognized as National Arts and Humanities Month by thousands of arts and cultural organizations, communities, and states across the country, as well as by the White House and Congress for more than two decades; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego recognizes and supports the mission of the California Arts Council to advance California through the arts and creativity by declaring October 2, 2009, California Arts Day; and

WHEREAS, arts and culture embodies much of the accumulated wisdom, intellect and imagination of humankind and plays a unique role in the lives of our families, our communities and our country; and

WHEREAS, the nonprofit arts industry also strengthens our nation's economy by generating \$166.2 billion in total economic activity annually and by supporting the full-time equivalent of 5.7 million jobs; and

WHEREAS, City-funded arts and culture nonprofits represent a multi-million-dollar industry fueling the local economy with \$180 million in direct expenditures, and are supported by nearly 1,200 volunteer board members and over 10,000 volunteers; and

WHEREAS, San Diego is also home to 4,432 for profit and non-profit, arts-related businesses that employ 24,324 people, according to the Creative Industries 2008 Report published by the Americans for the Arts, placing San Diego in the top ten of the 50 largest U.S. cities in 2008; 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 October 2, 2009, as "CALIFORNIA ARTS DAY" and October to be "NATIONAL ARTS AND HUMANITIES MONTH" in the City of San Diego, and calls upon our citizens to celebrate and promote the arts and culture in our nation, and to specifically encourage those citizens to participate in San Diego's arts and culture offerings.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By Sharon B. Spivak  
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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 oct 13 2009

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk

By [Signature]  
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 10.27.09  
(date)

[Signature]  
JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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

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JERRY SANDERS, Mayor