

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 305336
DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE OCT 27 2009

WHEREAS, Charles "Al" Stasukevich is a 31-year resident of San Diego and a 21-year resident of the Cherokee Point neighborhood in City Heights; and

WHEREAS, Charles Stasukevich was hired by the City of San Diego as a Land Development Investigator and was assigned to be an investigator in City Heights for the majority of his City service. Due to his long history of community service, he became instantly successful working with all the neighborhood associations, schools, community organizations, and businesses in code enforcement, education, and community liaison; and

WHEREAS, Charles Stasukevich's diligence, professionalism, and pro-activism resulted in positions of increased responsibility as an employee of the City of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, Charles Stasukevich was the first Chair of the revitalized City Heights Redevelopment Project Area Committee (PAC) and was its longest-serving Chair; and

WHEREAS, Charles Stasukevich has also served as the Chair of the City Heights Townhomes Design Committee; Chair of the PAC Formation Subcommittee; Co-Chair of the Hollywood Palms Oversight Committee; and served on the Metro Career Center steering committee; the Model School steering committee; the Election Committee; the Housing Subcommittee and the By-Laws Subcommittee; and

WHEREAS, Charles Stasukevich was a co-founder of the Cherokee Point Neighborhood Association and has served as a grant writer, secretary and treasurer, and is currently the newsletter editor and President of the Association; and

WHEREAS, as President of the Cherokee Point Neighborhood Association, Charles Stasukevich selected the site and named the new Cherokee Point Elementary School, and also created a committee to coordinate neighbors' and parents' recommendations for the design of the play area at a neighboring YMCA. Charles Stasukevich also coordinated two FaceLift paintings, impacting 59 neighborhood homes; and

WHEREAS, Charles Stasukevich served as a Code Enforcement Volunteer Coordinator in City Heights from 1997 to 2002 and supervised the efforts of Code Enforcement Volunteers; in his time as Code Enforcement Coordinator, more than 80 volunteers were trained in volunteer code enforcement and more than 2,800 Code cases were handled, with a 94 percent voluntary compliance rate, utilizing 9,200 volunteer hours and saving the City approximately \$600,000; and

WHEREAS, Charles Stasukevich coordinated and supervised 118 neighborhood cleanups, removing 2,255 tons of trash through the efforts of 1,740 volunteers working 16,536 hours, and he personally motivated and guided the organization and establishment of four new neighborhood associations; and

WHEREAS, Charles Stasukevich has reenergized the community, making City Heights much cleaner and safer with his efforts on the Code Enforcement team and also as a community activist; 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 commend Charles Stasukevich for his passionate commitment to public service and thank him for his dedication to the City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that October 20, 2009, be and is hereby proclaimed to be, "CHARLES STASUKEVICH DAY" in the City of San Diego.

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 20 2009

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By Elizabeth S. Maland
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 10-27-09
(date)

Jerry Sanders
JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: -
(date)

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