

REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION CITY OF SAN DIEGO						1. CERTIFICATE NUMBER:	
TO: CITY ATTORNEY		2. FROM: (ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT) Council District 4			3. DATE February 21, 2008		
4. SUBJECT: Resolution Proclaiming February 2008 Black History Month.							
5. FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT: Lourdes Borboa, Council Representative				6. TELEPHONE NO. 236-6644		7. CHECK HERE IF BOX 1472A, "DOCKET SUPPORTING INFORMATION," HAS BEEN COMPLETED ON PAGE 2:	
8 COMPLETE FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES							
FUND					9. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION / ESTIMATED COST: No fiscal impact.		
DEPT.							
ORGANIZATION							
OBJECT ACCOUNT							
JOB ORDER							
C.I.P. NO.							
AMOUNT							
10. ROUTING AND APPROVALS							
ROUTE (#)	APPROVING AUTHORITY	APPROVAL SIGNATURE	DATE SIGNED	ROUTE (#)	APPROVING AUTHORITY	APPROVAL SIGNATURE	DATE SIGNED
1	DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR				CITY MANAGER		
	[APPROV AUTH 2 Box 10]				AUDITOR		
	[APPROV AUTH 3 Box 10]				CITY ATTORNEY	<i>Shawn [Signature]</i>	2/21/08
	[APPROV AUTH 4 Box 10]				ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT	<i>Janice [Signature]</i>	
	[APPROV AUTH 5 Box 10]				MGR. DOCKET COORD.		COUNCIL REP.
	[APPROV AUTH 6 Box 10]				RULES COMMITTEE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CONSENT <input type="checkbox"/> ADOPTION	
	[APPROV AUTH 7 Box 10]			✓	<i>ms</i>	Refer to _____	Date 3/11/08
11. PREPARATION OF: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESOLUTION(S) <input type="checkbox"/> ORDINANCE(S) <input type="checkbox"/> AGREEMENT(S) <input type="checkbox"/> DEED(S)							
Special order of business for the presentation of a Resolution proclaiming February 2008 Black History Month to be on consent agenda.							
11a. MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATIONS:							
12. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (REFER TO A.R. 3.20 FOR INFORMATION ON COMPLETING THIS SECTION.)							
COUNCIL DISTRICT(S):							
COMMUNITY AREA(S):							
CITY CLERK INSTRUCTIONS:							
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT:							
OTHER ISSUES:							

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DOCKET SUPPORTING INFORMATION

SUBJECT: Resolution proclaiming February 2008 Black History Month. Resolution is attached for your approval.

BY LINE: (CITY MANAGER / DEPT. HEAD / AUTHOR INITIALS)

SIGNATURES:

James Slack
ORIGINATING DEPT. HEAD

CITY MANAGER
(FOR MANAGERIAL DEPARTMENTS ONLY)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R-_____

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE _____

WHEREAS, Black History Month was established in 1976 by The Association for the Study of Afro-American Life and History. The month-long celebration was an expansion of Negro History Week, which was established in 1926 by Carter G. Woodson, director of what was then known as the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History; and

WHEREAS, Black History Month not only highlights the impact of African-Americans on society. It also helps people remember the danger of racial and socio-economic oppression which affect more than just Blacks. This month helps everyone see the importance of human rights for all people and is the reason why it should always be celebrated; and

WHEREAS, during Black History Month many national, regional and local African-Americans are celebrated for their positive contributions to our country and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, Leon L. Williams was the first African-American to be elected to the San Diego City Council and the San Diego County Board of Supervisors and has contributed so much toward improving the quality of life of residents throughout San Diego and California; and

WHEREAS, Leon L Williams has served as a driving force behind downtown and community economic development by helping create SEDC and CCDC, County boards and commissions to address health and social service issues, and has made outstanding contributions to the public transportation industry. He has been a committed and inspirational advocate for public transportation in San Diego; 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 the month of February 2008 as "BLACK HISTORY MONTH" in the City of San Diego and commend and thank all African-Americans who have contributed to the rich and prosperous history of our nation.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By Sharon B. Spivak
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 _____.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By _____
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor