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REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION
CITY OF SAN DIEGO

1. CERTIFICATE NUMBER
(FOR AUDITOR'S USE) 31
3. DATE: 02/17
2/3/2009

TO: CITY ATTORNEY

2. FROM (ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT):
Councilmember Faulconer

4. SUBJECT:
SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 16, 2009 TO BE "MARDI GRAS IN SAN DIEGO WEEK"

5. PRIMARY CONTACT (NAME, PHONE, & MAIL STA.)
Aimee Faucett, x66622 10A

6. SECONDARY CONTACT (NAME, PHONE, & MAIL STA.)
James Lawson, x66622, 10A

7. CHECK BOX IF REPORT TO COUNCIL IS ATTACHED

8. COMPLETE FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES

FUND					9. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION / ESTIMATED COST:
DEPT.					
ORGANIZATION					
OBJECT ACCOUNT					
JOB ORDER					
C.I.P. NUMBER					
AMOUNT					

10. ROUTING AND APPROVALS

ROUTE (#)	APPROVING AUTHORITY	APPROVAL SIGNATURE	DATE SIGNED	ROUTE (#)	APPROVING AUTHORITY	APPROVAL SIGNATURE	DATE SIGNED
1	ORIG. DEPT	<i>[Signature]</i>	2/2/09	8	DEPUTY CHIEF		
2				9	COO		
3				10	CITY ATTORNEY	<i>[Signature]</i>	2/4/09
4	LIAISON OFFICE			11	ORIG. DEPT		
5				DOCKET COORD: _____ COUNCIL LIAISON _____			
6				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COUNCIL PRESIDENT <i>[Signature]</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPOB <input type="checkbox"/> CONSENT <input type="checkbox"/> ADOPTION			
7				<input type="checkbox"/> REFER TO: _____ COUNCIL DATE: 2-17-09			

11. PREPARATION OF: RESOLUTIONS ORDINANCE(S) AGREEMENT(S) DEED(S)

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11A. STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

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12. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (REFER TO A.R. 3.20 FOR INFORMATION ON COMPLETING THIS SECTION.)

COUNCIL DISTRICT(S):

COMMUNITY AREA(S):

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT:

HOUSING IMPACT:

OTHER ISSUES:

RESOLUTION NUMBER R-_____

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE _____

WHEREAS, the Gaslamp Quarter Association is a recognized and respected Business Improvement Association, representing the businesses located in the historic Gaslamp Quarter; and

WHEREAS, the Gaslamp Quarter has been the home of San Diego's Mardi Gras Celebration for the last 15 years; and

WHEREAS, the Gaslamp Quarter Association has spent several years and countless hours to build the Gaslamp Quarter Mardi Gras as the most successful festival of its kind west of the Mississippi and recognized as one of the top ten in the entire world; and

WHEREAS, the Gaslamp Quarter Mardi Gras, with its multiple stages, entertainment venues, strolling musicians, street performers and two Masquerade Parades, attracts visitors to San Diego from across the country and around the world; and

WHEREAS, the Gaslamp Quarter Association, through its progressive management design and partnership with Kicking In, has used the Gaslamp Quarter Mardi Gras to raise funds for over 35 local educational, athletic, scholarship, community and music programs whose accumulative benefit exceeds \$50,000 over the past five years; and

WHEREAS, the Gaslamp Quarter Association, through its successful management of the event, has created, by official action of its Board of Directors, a community public safety benefit program that has provided the San Diego Police, Fire and Life Safety departments equipment and support funding in excess of \$40,000 over the past four years; 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 week of February 16, 2009, as "MARDI GRAS IN SAN DIEGO WEEK" in the City of San Diego.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By Sharon B. Spivak
Sharon B. Spivak
Deputy City Attorney

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02/04/09
Or.Dept:Council-Faulconer
R-2009-827

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