



Proclamation of the City Council City of San Diego

100th Anniversary of Girl Scouts San Diego Council

Presented by Councilmember Chris Cate and Councilmember Lorie Zapf

March 14, 2017

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego is honored to recognize the 100th Anniversary of the Girl Scouts San Diego Council; **AND**

WHEREAS, March 12 commemorates the day in 1912 when Girl Scouts was founded by Juliette Gordon in Savannah, Georgia and is considered the birthday of Girl Scouts; **AND**

WHEREAS, in January 1917, the first Girl Scout troop west of the Rockies was established in Coronado, where it is still active; **AND**

WHEREAS, this year, nearly 35,000 Girl Scout members in San Diego and Imperial counties are celebrating 100 years of Girl Scouts in San Diego and of Girl Scouts selling cookies; **AND**

WHEREAS, the Girl Scout Cookie Program, a beloved tradition, helps girls develop life and leadership skills while raising funds for their activities and service projects; **AND**

WHEREAS, Girl Scout Week is celebrated every March, always including March 12, and marks the beginning of "100 Days of Girl Scouts" when local troops perform community service projects throughout San Diego; **AND**

WHEREAS, troop members live by the Girl Scout Law which states, in part, they will do their best to be "honest and fair, friendly and helpful, considerate and caring, courageous and strong... and be a sister to every Girl Scouts"; **AND**

WHEREAS, in the Girl Scout Leadership Experience, girls will do more than they ever thought they could, dream bigger dreams than they ever imagined, and make a difference in the world; **AND**

WHEREAS, Girl Scouts San Diego celebrates a century of building girls of courage, confidence, and character in San Diego; **NOW THEREFORE,**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, does hereby proclaim March 14, 2017, as the "100th Anniversary of Girl Scouts San Diego Council" in the City of San Diego.



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Approved by Council on the 14th Day of March, 2017.