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## **RESOLUTION 20xx-xxx**

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 6, 2020, AS SAN DIEGO COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' MEMORIAL DAY AND MAY 10-16, 2020, AS NATIONAL POLICE WEEK

**WHEREAS**, the San Diego Unified Port District (District) is a public corporation created by the Legislature in 1962 pursuant to Harbors and Navigation Code Appendix I, (Port Act); and

**WHEREAS,** section 21 of the Port Act states that the Board of Port Commissioners (BPC) may pass all necessary ordinances and resolutions for the regulation of the District; and

**WHEREAS**, law enforcement officers are the guardians of life and property, defenders of the individual right to be free, and warriors in the battle against crime; and

**WHEREAS**, the dedicated men and women who have chosen law enforcement as a career face extraordinary risk and danger in preserving freedom and security; and

**WHEREAS**, in May of each year National Police Week is observed throughout the nation in order to recognize the hazardous work, serious responsibilities and strong commitment to the nation's peace officers; and

**WHEREAS**, in conjunction with National Police Week, May 6<sup>th</sup> is recognized as San Diego Law Enforcement Officers' Memorial Day, in commemoration of those officers who have sacrificed their lives in the line of duty.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Port Commissioners of the San Diego Unified Port District, on behalf of its members, staff and employees, hereby extends appreciation and respect of the highest order to the dedicated women and men who have chosen law enforcement as a profession and encourage the community to honor and remember those individuals who gave their lives for our safety by proclaiming May 6, 2020, as San Diego County Law Enforcement Officers' Memorial Day and May 10-16, 2020, as National Police Week.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY: GENERAL COUNSEL

By: Assistant/Deputy

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Port Commissioners of the San Diego Unified Port District, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 2020, by the following vote: