

**RESOLUTION 2016-61**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING A PROCLAMATION TO  
HONOR SAN DIEGO COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT  
OFFICERS MEMORIAL DAY ON MAY 4, 2016 AND  
NATIONAL POLICE WEEK MAY 15-21, 2016**

**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, warriors in the battle against crime, and are dedicated to the preservation of life and property; 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 4<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** by the Board of Port Commissioners of the San Diego Unified Port District to honor San Diego County Law Enforcement Officers' Memorial Day on May 4<sup>th</sup> and National Police Week May 15-21, 2016 and extends appreciation and respect of the highest order to the dedicated men and women who have chosen law enforcement as a profession and encourage the community to remember those individuals who gave their lives to protect it.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:  
GENERAL COUNSEL

  
By: Assistant/Deputy

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PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Port Commissioners of the San Diego Unified Port District, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 2016, by the following vote:

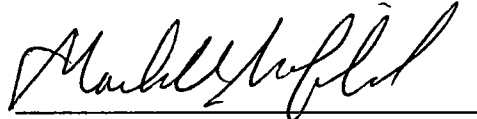
AYES: Bonelli, Castellanos, Malcolm, Merrifield, and Nelson.

NAYS: None.

EXCUSED: Moore and Valderrama.

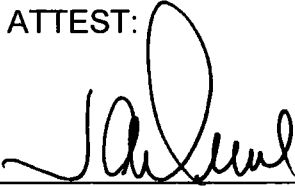
ABSENT: None.

ABSTAIN: None.



Marshall Merrifield, Chairman  
Board of Port Commissioners

ATTEST:



Timothy A. Deuel  
District Clerk

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