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Resolution

of the City Council

National Arson Awareness Week May 3-9, 1998

WHEREAS, arson is a serious crime that affects all people and can only be stopped when citizens realize the toll arson takes on communities; and

WHEREAS, arson is a serious national problem causing 700 deaths and \$2,000,000,000 in property damage each year; and

WHEREAS, over half of the arsons in the country are caused by juveniles and young children and is frequently used as an act of terrorism and brutality; and

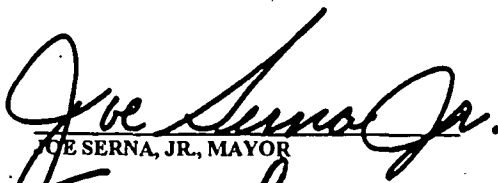
WHEREAS, cities, communities and neighborhoods are blighted by arson resulting in the erosion of the tax base, the community's economic structure, loss of employers and jobs; and

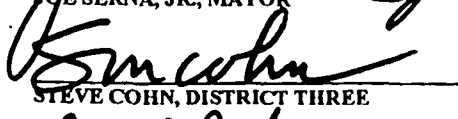
WHEREAS, this is the twenty-fifth anniversary of the most comprehensive national fire study "America Burning"; and

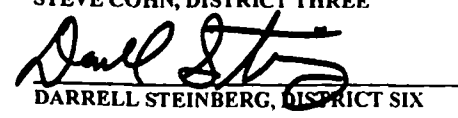
WHEREAS, the support and promotion of the National Arson Awareness Week will honor all that is best within humanity by focusing our collective efforts on a community solution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby declare May 3-9, 1998 to be Arson Awareness Week.


ISSUED: This 28th Day of April 1998.


JOE SERNA, JR., MAYOR


STEVE COHN, DISTRICT THREE


DARRELL STEINBERG, DISTRICT SIX


HEATHER FARGO, DISTRICT ONE


JIMMIE R. YEE, DISTRICT FOUR


ROBBIE WATERS, DISTRICT SEVEN


ROBERT KERTH, DISTRICT TWO


LAUREN R. HAMMOND, DISTRICT FIVE


VALERIE BURROWES, CITY CLERK

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From: Valerie Burrowes
To: Carolyn Hoover, Karla Rockberg
Date: 4/23/98 1:32PM
Subject: AGENDA ADDITION

One more Special Presentation for the evening meeting.

Proclamation delcaring the week of May 3, 1998 as "Arson Awarness Week"

Thanks

P.S. She will have all docs up here after the Mayor gets in at 2:30 and signs them.