



# Resolution

of the City Council

## Recognizing the U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce's 29<sup>th</sup> Annual National Convention and Business Expo

**W**HEREAS, this year marks the 29<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the convening of the U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce's (USHCC) Annual National Convention and Business Expo; and

**W**HEREAS, the mission of the USHCC is to maximize the success of its members businesses through networking, advocacy and education; and

**W**HEREAS, our local chapter, the Sacramento Hispanic Chamber of Commerce (SHCC), was founded in 1972 to promote economic growth and create a positive environment for Hispanic businesses and to further economic business development in the Hispanic community; and

**W**HEREAS, the USHCC is the largest, fastest growing and most effective ethnic business organization in the nation, providing practical, effective and comprehensive business services and products to its members; and

**W**HEREAS, the convention and business expo being held September 24-27, 2008, will provide local and statewide leaders the opportunity to meet with representatives from the USHCC for the first time to discuss the impact of Latino-owned businesses in our region and state; and

**W**HEREAS, the convention is held annually as part of Latino Heritage Month and some featured events include; the Latino Music Festival, an International Business Luncheon, Business, Environmental, and Procurement Pavilions, a Town Hall Meeting and a Latina Luncheon Award Ceremony; and

**W**HEREAS, the USHCC successfully collaborates with other Chambers of Commerce to actively support the growth and development of small and emerging businesses providing a vital link between the City of Sacramento and the largest ethnic community in Sacramento and California.

**N**OW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby recognize and congratulate the U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce on the occasion of their 29<sup>th</sup> National Convention and Business Expo and the Sacramento Hispanic Chamber of Commerce for its continued commitment to the community and wish them a successful annual event and continued success.

**ISSUED:** This 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of September 2008.

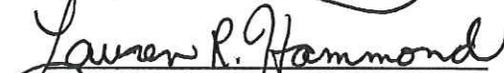
  
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