



Resolution

Recognizing Drive Safely Work Week October 4-8, 2010

WHEREAS, The Network of Employers for Traffic Safety has established Drive Safely Work Week to draw attention to the dangers of distracted driving; and

WHEREAS, studies indicate that distracted driving is a factor in more than 20% of crashes, 300,000 vehicle accidents and up to 6,000 deaths each year; and

WHEREAS, 98% of people surveyed by the insurance industry believe they are safe drivers yet three quarters of them report that they perform other tasks while driving; and

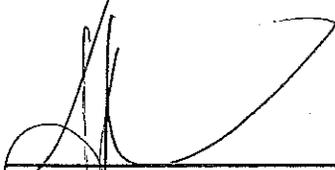
WHEREAS, drivers are required to make about 20 major decisions during every mile of driving and have less than one-half second to act in order to avoid a collision; and

WHEREAS, 53% of government worker occupational fatalities were caused by transportation incidents in 2009; and

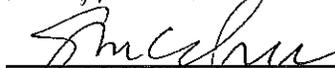
WHEREAS, the City of Sacramento is launching a Distracted Driver Awareness Campaign to focus employee attention on the importance of eliminating distractions while operating vehicles.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby recognize October 4-8, 2010 as *Drive Safely Work Week* in the City of Sacramento and acknowledge that awareness of the dangers of distracted driving is the first important step in eliminating needless deaths, injuries and property damage.

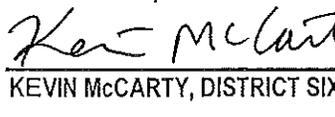
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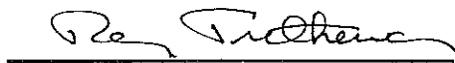
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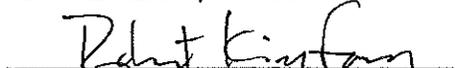
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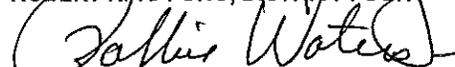
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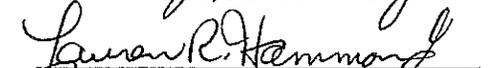
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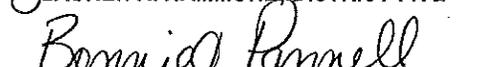
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