

RESOLUTION NO. 48428

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE EXTENDING AN INVITATION TO THE CITY OF TAINAN, REPUBLIC OF CHINA, TO BECOME A SISTER-CITY AND INVITING THE PEOPLE OF TAINAN, REPUBLIC OF CHINA, TO PARTICIPATE IN SAID PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the "People-to-People Program" was inaugurated by the President of the United States in 1956 to establish greater friendship and understanding between the peoples of the United States and other nations through the medium of direct personal contact; and

WHEREAS, all succeeding U.S. presidents have endorsed said program, to be conducted for the broad purposes of the exchange of ideas and people between the citizens of the United States of America and the peoples of other nations; and

WHEREAS, to implement this program San Jose and other communities in the United States associated with the Town Affiliation Association of the U.S., Inc. have affiliated with cities in other nations of similar characteristics and mutual interest; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Jose, through its Council, does recognize and endorse this program with the hope that it will lead to a lasting friendship between the people of San Jose and Tainan, Republic of China.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. This Council, on behalf of the people of San Jose, does hereby extend an invitation to the government and the people of the City of Tainan, Republic of China, to participate with San Jose as its sister-city for the purpose of creating greater mutual understanding between the peoples of our two great cities and nations.

SECTION 2. That Pacific Neighbors, San Jose's Sister-City Organization, be authorized to carry out this program.

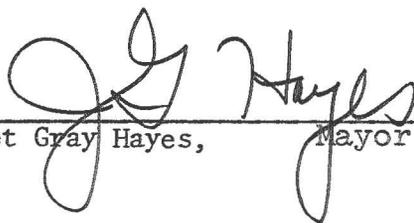
SECTION 3. That copies of this resolution are to be sent to the Mayor and Council of the City of Tainan, Republic of China, the Embassy of the Republic of China, and the Town Affiliation Association of the U.S., Inc.

ADOPTED this 8th day of February, 1977, by the following vote:

AYES: Colla, Garza, Pegram, Runyon, Self, Wilson and Hayes.

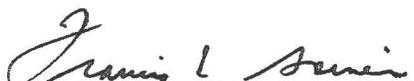
NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.



Janet Gray Hayes, Mayor

ATTEST: Francis L. Greiner,



City Clerk