

2013-08-29-0026R

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE EFFORTS OF “LA OFRENDA”
VETERANS MONUMENT COMMITTEE’S TO CREATE A VETERANS
MONUMENT TO BE LOCATED IN THE ELMENDORF LAKE PARK IN
CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 5 IN HONOR OF ALL OUR VETERANS.**

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WHEREAS, the City, in concurrence with “La Ofrenda” Veterans Monument Committee (“Committee”), seeks to enlighten the public towards a better understanding of the service and sacrifice made by our military Veterans, their families, and the stories of heroism displayed by many of our unsung heroes who have given so much in service to their country; and

WHEREAS, the Committee aspires to have a designated location on the West side, where a monument will be built, that embodies the sincere, heartfelt, gratitude for Veterans’ service and exemplifies the value placed on our military men and women; and

WHEREAS, the City supports the Committee’s efforts to engage in a capital fundraising campaign to design, plan and build a monument of national significance dedicated to all Veterans, past and present, at Elmendorf Lake Park; **NOW, THEREFORE;**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. That this Resolution is a declaration of support of the efforts of “La Ofrenda” Veterans Monument Committee, to design, fabricate and install a Veterans Monument, as designed by Vietnam Veteran Jesse Trevino and Gabriel Quintero Velasquez, to be located at Elmendorf Lake Park in City Council District 5, San Antonio, Texas.

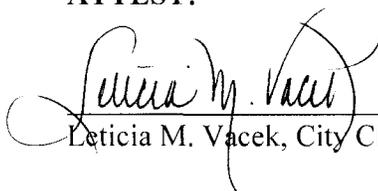
SECTION 2. That the Committee and/or design team shall bring their updated design presentations to the City’s Public Art Board for their consideration and recommendation.

SECTION 3. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon passage by eight affirmative votes; otherwise it shall be effective on the tenth day after passage.

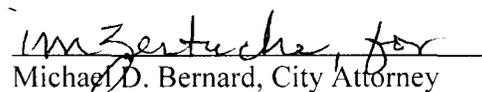
PASSED AND APPROVED this 29th day of August, 2013.

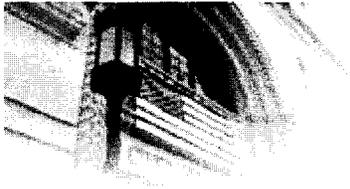

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Julián Castro

ATTEST:

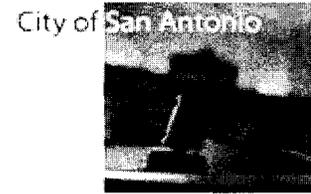

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Michael D. Bernard, City Attorney



Request for
COUNCIL
 ACTION



Agenda Voting Results - 27

Name:	27						
Date:	08/29/2013						
Time:	10:01:39 AM						
Vote Type:	Motion to Approve						
Description:	A Resolution supporting the efforts of "La Ofrenda" Veterans Monument Committee to create a monument to honor all of our veterans which will be located in the Elmendorf Lake Park in City Council District 5. [Ed Belmares, Assistant City Manager; Felix Padron, Director, Culture and Creative Development]						
Result:	Passed						
Voter	Group	Not Present	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Motion	Second
Julián Castro	Mayor		x				
Diego Bernal	District 1		x				x
Ivy R. Taylor	District 2		x				
Rebecca Viagran	District 3		x				
Rey Saldaña	District 4		x				
Shirley Gonzales	District 5		x			x	
Ray Lopez	District 6		x				
Cris Medina	District 7		x				
Ron Nirenberg	District 8		x				
Elisa Chan	District 9	x					
Carlton Soules	District 10		x				