

City of Culver City, California
City Council Agenda Item Report

Meeting Date: 03/26/07		Item Number: <u>A-2</u>	
AGENDA ITEM: Adoption of a Resolution Proclaiming April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month and April 25, 2007 as Denim Day			
Contact Person/Dept.: Martin R. Cole, Assistant City Manager		Phone Number: 310-253-6000	
Fiscal Impact: Yes ☐ No ☒		General Fund: Yes ☐ No ☒	
Public Hearing: ☐		Action Item: ☒ Attachments: ☒	
Public Notification: Master Notification List (03/21/07)			
Department Approval: Martin R. Cole (03/20/2007)		City Attorney Approval: Carol Schwab (by H. Iker) (03/21/07)	
City Controller Approval: Marlee Chang (03/21/07)		City Manager Approval: Jerry B. Fulwood (03/21/07)	
<u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> Staff recommends the City Council consider adopting the attached resolution proclaiming April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month and April 25, 2007 as Denim Day in the City of Culver City. <u>BACKGROUND</u> Denim Day can trace its origins to the response to a 1999 Italian Supreme Court decision which overturned a rape conviction based upon the Justices' conclusion that the victim inferred consent to the actions based upon her wearing jeans. In response, community groups in Los Angeles County, led by the group Peace Over Violence, have been rallying in support of rape prevention education. On March 5, 2007, the City Council directed staff to agendize this item. <u>DISCUSSION:</u> Should the City Council adopt the attached proposed resolution, April, 2007 would be declared Sexual Assault Awareness month and April 25, 2007 would be declared Denim Day in Culver City. Attached is the letter received by the City from Peace Over Violence requesting the attached proposed resolution.			

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FISCAL ANALYSIS:

Adoption of the proposed resolution does not create a fiscal impact.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Letter Dated February 28, 2007 from Peace Over Violence.
2. Proposed Resolution.

MOTION:

That the City Council:

Adopt a resolution declaring April, 2007 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month and April 25, 2007 as Denim Day in the City of Culver City.