



Resolution

of the City Council

Recognizing the United Negro College Fund's 60th Anniversary

WHEREAS, since 1998, approximately 3,900 students from California have enrolled in United Negro College Fund (UNCF) member colleges and universities; and

WHEREAS, nearly 10% of the students from California graduated from Sacramento high schools; and

WHEREAS, UNCF supports almost 65,000 students at 950 colleges and universities, including 38 member institutions across the nation; and

WHEREAS, UNCF has distributed almost \$2 billion over its 60 year history to support students and colleges; and

WHEREAS, UNCF administers nearly 500 scholarship programs and provides access to over 7,000 scholarships through their website; and

WHEREAS, more than 700 students have received Fortune 500 corporate internships in the past four years through UNCF; and

WHEREAS, in academic years 2000 – 2002, UNCF provided approximately \$7.2 million dollars to students at the graduate and doctoral levels; and

WHEREAS, “An Evening of Stars: A Celebration of Educational Excellence” will air on UPN-31 KMAX in Sacramento on January 8, 2005 and will feature community leaders and city officials presenting their contributions to UNCF.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby recognize the United Negro College Fund on the occasion of their 60th Anniversary and do hereby commend their continued support of students in our community and throughout colleges nationwide.

ISSUED: This 6th Day of January 2005.

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HEATHER FARGO, MAYOR

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