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RESOLUTION NO. 83-9-678

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WHEREAS, October 2nd marks the 113th anniversary of the birth of Mohandas K. "Mahatma" Gandhi; and,

WHEREAS, Mohandas K. Gandhi contributed so much to all cultures through his personal courage, dedication to civil rights, peaceful resistance to injustice and progressive social reforms; and,

WHEREAS, Gandhi's principles of holding fast to the truth while pursuing equality of opportunity for all people are shared by the American people in their dedication to the principles of the U.S. Declaration of Independence; and,

WHEREAS, the 2,000 families in Minnesota of East Indian origin reflect Gandhi's high ethical standards by contributing public service through The India Club of Minnesota; and,

WHEREAS, the Indo-American Community of Minnesota plans to celebrate October 2, 1983, as India Day, emphasizing the spirit of Gandhi:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Hennepin County Board of Commissioners that in commemoration of the 113th birthday of Mahatma Gandhi and in recognition of the service of East Indian families in Hennepin County, this Board designate October 2, 1983 as Gandhi Day in Hennepin County.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and there were \underline{six} YEAS and \underline{no} NAYS as follows:

Commissioner John E. Derus, Chairman Hennepin County Board of Commissioners



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