

Proclamation of the City Council

City of San Diego Judge Michael T. Smyth Day

Presented by Councilmember Raul A. Campillo
December 31, 2023

WHEREAS, Judge Michael T. Smyth assumed the top judicial leadership position as the San Diego Superior Court's Presiding Judge on January 1, 2022, having been elected by his fellow jurists in August to serve a two-year term; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael T. Smyth has provided exemplary leadership in overseeing and managing court operations, guiding 154 judicial officers, supervising approximately 1,200 employees, and administering a budget of just under \$200 million within the San Diego Superior Court; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael T. Smyth has served as a Superior Court Judge since 2003 and fulfilled the role of Assistant Presiding Judge during 2020 and 2021; and

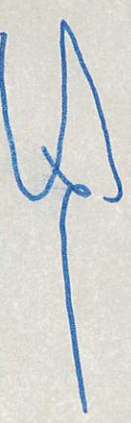
WHEREAS, Judge Michael T. Smyth previously held the positions of Assistant to the Chief of Police and Legal and Policy Advisor to the Chief of Police; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael T. Smyth made notable contributions during his time in the San Diego City Attorney's Office, serving as a Criminal Prosecutor, Head of Criminal Trial Unit, and Legal Advisor to San Diego Police Department; and

WHEREAS, Judge Michael T. Smyth has dedicated his life to ensuring fair and timely access to justice for all members of the community, with an unwavering commitment to this cause; NOW, THEREFORE

BE IT PROCLAIMED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, does hereby proclaim December 31, 2023 to be "Judge Michael Smyth Day" in the City of San Diego.




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Approved by Council on the 12th Day of December, 2023