

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the City of Pasadena elects to advance urban sustainability, foster vibrant economies, promote social equity, and protect the planet's natural systems; and

WHEREAS, governments throughout the world are adopting environmental standards to reduce global warming, improve air and water quality, reduce waste, eliminate toxins, preserve open space and natural habitats, create environmentally sound urban areas, and promote healthy communities; and

WHEREAS, as Mayors of cities around the globe have a unique opportunity to provide leadership to develop truly sustainable urban centers based on culturally and economically appropriate local actions; and

WHEREAS, by endorsing the United Nations Urban Environmental Accords and the U.S. Mayors' Climate Protection Agreement, the City of Pasadena recognizes the need to commit our best efforts toward providing a clean, healthy and safe environment for all members of our society;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, I, Bill Bogaard, Mayor of the City of Pasadena, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby endorse the United Nations Urban Environmental Accords and the

U.S. Mayors Climate Protection Agreement

and urge Mayors from around the nation to join in these efforts.



Mayor of the City of Pasadena

Dated this 18th day of September, 2006