

DYSLEXIA AWARENESS MONTH OCTOBER 2009

Whereas, the City of Murrieta honors the Inland Empire Branch of the International Dyslexia Association and all organizations which provide services for learners who struggle; and

Whereas, these nonprofit organizations render support to families experiencing significant literacy issues as a result of a dyslexic pattern in one or more family members; and

Whereas, the vision statement of the Inland Empire Branch is to inform and empower families, educators, businesses and communities with the most current research-based practices to promote meaningful literacy development with the goal of preparing individuals for a hopeful and productive future; and

Whereas, we are indebted to the Inland Empire Branch of the International Dyslexia Association and all its volunteers who stand ready to share their knowledge, experience, and energy to provide resource information and service to our community; and

Whereas, it is a local goal of interested citizens to raise awareness levels of understanding within the general community and to seek support for those suffering with dyslexia in the area of educational and life skills.

NOW THEREFORE I, Mayor Gary Thomasian, on behalf of the Murrieta City Council, do hereby proclaim the month of October 2009 as

"DYSLEXIA AWARENESS MONTH"

Signed this 8th day of October 2009.

Attest:

A. Kay Vinson, City Clerk

Thomasian, Mayor