

MANHATTAN LITTLE LEAGUE, INC. 50TH ANNIVERSARY

WHEREAS.

Manhattan Little League was chartered in 1958 and celebrates its Fiftieth Anniversary during the month of March 2008; and

WHEREAS,

Manhattan Little League is a volunteer run organization that provides an excellent opportunity for families to get involved in the Manhattan Beach community; and

WHEREAS,

During the 2008 Spring season, approximately 1,700 children between the ages of 5 and 16 will participate in Manhattan Little League; and

WHEREAS,

Manhattan Little League's mission is to provide a positive environment for the children of Manhattan Beach to enjoy Little League softball and baseball; and

WHEREAS,

Manhattan Little League teaches that good sportsmanship, fair play, teamwork, and respect among children are more important than winning; and

WHEREAS,

Manhattan Little League teaches that while every player strikes out, or commits an error, the ability to deal with failure, while continuing to enjoy the game and striving to do one's best is important for the development of a child; and

WHEREAS,

Manhattan Little League has developed baseball and softball skills that have allowed children to have successful, high school, college and professional careers; and

WHEREAS,

in addition to a scholarship program, which pays registration fees for families experiencing financial hardships, the Manhattan Little League Board has established "Everybody Plays" – a program which buys new equipment for families in need; and

WHEREAS,

Manhattan Little League is recognized as one the most successful softball and baseball recreation programs in the South Bay.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council, on behalf of the residents and citizens of the City of Manhattan Beach, California, does hereby congratulate

MANHATTAN LITTLE LEAGUE, INC.

for their dedicated service to the families and children of Manhattan Beach.

Dated: this 4th Day of March, 2008

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