

Proclamation
Acacia Adult Day Services 30th Anniversary

- WHEREAS, In 1979, Garden Grove Adult Day Care Center opened its doors at the United Methodist Church on Main Street in Garden Grove with eight participants; and
- WHEREAS, Twenty-five years ago, the non-profit Board of Directors transitioned the adult day care program from a City-operated program, to a thriving non-profit organization, that is an integral part of Garden Grove's diverse, multi-generational community; and
- WHEREAS, In addition to the adult day care program, Acacia Adult Day Services stands as a pioneer in geriatric care through a health care component for older adults experiencing degenerative diseases, including Alzheimer's and dementia; and
- WHEREAS, Having successful grant writers, strong community partnerships, and dedicated volunteers are a few of the reasons for Acacia's considerable success and ability to thrive for the past 30 years; and
- WHEREAS, In an effort to serve more adults in need of community-based, long-term care, Acacia's quality services are now being duplicated in another center, serving the cities of Cypress, Los Alamitos, La Palma, Seal Beach, and Cerritos; and
- WHEREAS, From the experienced staff to the quality care provided, Acacia Adult Day Services continues to be a statewide leader in senior adult care by generously meeting the needs of their clientele and their families.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Garden Grove does hereby proclaim Acacia Adult Day Services' 30-year anniversary and congratulates them for outstanding, recognized service to the frail and elderly in Garden Grove.

November 10, 2009

Approved for Agenda Listing


Matthew Fertal
City Manager