

City of Boston IN CITY COUNCIL

Official Resolution

Offered By Boston City Councillors Felix D. Arroyo,
Sam Poon, Charles C. Vancey and Chuck Turner

- Whereas:** The issue of peace embraces the deepest hopes of all peoples and remains humanity's guiding inspiration; and
- Whereas:** In 1981 the United Nations proclaimed that an International Day of Peace be "*devoted to commemorating and strengthening the ideals of peace both within and among all nations and peoples*"; and
- Whereas:** The United Nations expanded the observance of the International Day of Peace in 2001 to include the call for a day of global ceasefire and non-violence; and
- Whereas:** There is growing support within the City for the observance of the International Day of Peace, which affirms a vision of our world at peace and fosters cooperation between individuals, organizations and nations; and
- Whereas:** The Boston City Council acknowledges the need to promote peace in Boston;

Therefore be it Resolved

That the Boston City Council does hereby declare

September 21, 2006

UN International Day of Peace

in the City of Boston; that this Resolution be signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.



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By: Michael J. Elsherty
President of the City Council

Attest: Alex Houtas
Asst. Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: Michael Arroyo, Chuck Turner, Charles C. Vancey, Sam Poon

Date: 09/11/06

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