

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF
IMPERIAL IN RECOGNITION OF CALIFORNIA POPPY DAY, APRIL 6, 2007,
CELEBRATING THE 105TH ANNIVERSARY OF CALIFORNIA'S STATE
FLOWER**

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-021

WHEREAS, by Act of the California Senate, dated March 2, 1903, the California Poppy was adopted as the official state flower of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, by Act of the California Senate, April 6 of each year has been designated as California Poppy Day; and

WHEREAS, on May 1, 1987 the California Poppy Project was founded to conduct statewide educational programs to encourage all California residents to return California to its prolific, golden state by planting free packets of California Poppy seeds in non-public and approved public areas; and

WHEREAS, with the assistance of the Native Daughters of the Golden West (NDGW) adopted the California Poppy Project's goal to distribute 100,000 free packets of California Poppy Seeds by the 100th Anniversary, April 6, 2003; and

WHEREAS, the California Poppy Project's continuing goal is to "Help preserve and protect our trails, paths, highways, coastal areas, parks and safety rest areas from the blight of discarded litter;" and

WHEREAS, adults in California may request one free packet of California Poppy seeds by visiting the California Poppy Project's website: <http://current-news.org/California-popy-anniversary-15.html>.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Imperial do hereby celebrate and honor April 6, 2007 as California Poppy Day by way of this proclamation.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Imperial County Board of Supervisors at their regular Board of Supervisors meeting held on this 3rd day of April, 2007.



Larry L. Grogan, Chairman
Imperial County Board of Supervisors



Sylvia Bernudez, Clerk of the Board
County of Imperial, State of California