

# **P R O C L A M A T I O N**

**WHEREAS,** the Torrance Certified Farmers' Market provides an opportunity for members of the community to buy fresh and healthy produce directly from California farmers in a fun and friendly atmosphere; and;

**WHEREAS,** a deep sense of community has developed at the Torrance Certified Farmers' Market, which is often referred to as "the neighborhood gathering place"; and

**WHEREAS,** a group of dedicated, loyal, and enthusiastic volunteers assist at the Torrance Certified Farmers' Market every week to ensure a smooth running operation; and

**WHEREAS,** our community is grateful to the farmers who work long and difficult hours to grow produce which they faithfully bring to the Torrance Certified Farmers' Market each week; and

**WHEREAS,** the generosity of participating farmers has allowed the Torrance Certified Farmers' Market to donate an abundance of produce to local Food Banks, Senior Citizens Centers, and various other charitable and nonprofit organizations; and

**WHEREAS,** the Saturday Torrance Certified Farmers' Market will be celebrating its 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary on March 3, 2012.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, FRANK SCOTTO, as Mayor of the City of Torrance, California, do hereby proclaim March 3, 2012, as:**

## ***TORRANCE FARMERS' MARKET DAY***

in the City of Torrance and encourage all citizens to visit and enjoy all that the Torrance Certified Farmers' Market has to offer.

Signed this \_\_\_\_ day of February 2012.

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Mayor Frank Scotto

ATTEST:

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Sue Herbers, CMC  
City Clerk