

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-44

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF TORRANCE EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO
HAROLD GREENE
FOR SERVING AS GUEST GRAND MARSHAL OF THE
48TH ANNUAL ARMED FORCES DAY PARADE AND OBSERVANCE**

- WHEREAS,** the City of Torrance is sponsoring its annual Armed Forces Day Observance for the 48th year beginning on May 18, with military exhibits at Del Amo Fashion Center and the parade taking place on May 19, 2007; and
- WHEREAS,** each year the Armed Forces Day Celebration gives special recognition to a specific branch of the military service, and this year the City proudly salutes the United States Air Force, whose Concert Band will perform on May 18 at the Armstrong Theatre; and
- WHEREAS,** the festivities, which have grown each year, continue to attract attention and participation from the community; and, the City is honored to have Harold Greene serve as the Guest Grand Marshal of the parade to further enrich this year's celebration; and
- WHEREAS,** Harold Greene is an award-winning journalist with 30 years of experience in hard-hitting news. He has produced and hosted his own shows and currently co-anchors KCAL 9 News at 4:00 p.m. and CBS 2 News at 6:00 p.m.; and
- WHEREAS,** Harold Greene has covered the Southern California, having reported on stories that shape our lives, including the feminist movements, anti-war protests, Chicano rights demonstration, gun control, gang violence, the homeless and immigration, and has interviewed every U.S. president since Richard Nixon; and
- WHEREAS,** he has earned numerous awards for his excellent work in journalism including 12 L.A. Press Club Awards, 10 Golden Mike Awards, three Edward R. Murrow Awards, two local Emmy Awards, nine Emmy nominations, two Iris Awards and the Columbia Graduate School of Journalism Award; and
- WHEREAS,** Harold Greene is also a veteran, having served in the United States Army and continues to serve the community by speaking to civic groups, schools and charitable organizations, and sponsoring his own charitable events; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council, on behalf of its members and the citizens of Torrance, California, expresses its appreciation to

HAROLD GREENE

who, by his presence, contributes honor and prestige to this annual patriotic event in the City of Torrance.

INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of May 2007.

Mayor Frank Scotto

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
JOHN FELLOWS III, City Attorney

ATTEST:

by _____
Ronald T. Pohl, Assistant City Attorney

Sue Herbers, City Clerk