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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2015–16 REGULAR SESSION

## Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 192

### Introduced by Assembly Member Gordon

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May 27, 2016

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Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 192—Relative to California Nonprofits Day.

#### LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

ACR 192, as amended, Gordon. California Nonprofits Day.

This measure would designate June 22, 2016, as California Nonprofits Day and recognize the importance of nonprofit organizations to the economy and well-being of this state.

Fiscal committee: no.

- 1 WHEREAS, Nonprofit organizations are a large and vital part
- 2 of California's economy, with nonprofit economic activity

1 contributing 15 percent, or one-sixth, of California's gross state  
2 product; and

3 WHEREAS, Nonprofit organizations rank as the fourth largest  
4 industry in California by employment, with nearly one million  
5 people employed by nonprofits, accounting for 1 in every 16  
6 California jobs; and

7 WHEREAS, Each year nonprofit organizations bring in at least  
8 \$40 billion in revenue to California from out-of-state sources; and

9 WHEREAS, California nonprofit organizations employ greater  
10 percentages of women and people of color than the overall civilian  
11 workforce; and

12 WHEREAS, California nonprofit organizations are trusted  
13 institutions that exist to provide services to the needy and  
14 vulnerable, improve quality of life, express community values,  
15 and promote social change; and

16 WHEREAS, The nonprofit organization community in California  
17 is a strong economic power that uses that power for the common  
18 good; and

19 WHEREAS, California's nonprofit organizations are national  
20 and international groundbreakers and leaders in the environment,  
21 in science, in safety net innovations, in civil rights, in the arts and  
22 humanities, and in the pursuit of democratic ideals; now, therefore,  
23 be it

24 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*  
25 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature, in recognition of the  
26 importance of nonprofit organizations to the economy and  
27 well-being of this state, declares June 22, 2016, as California  
28 Nonprofits Day; and be it further

29 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies  
30 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.