

RESOLUTION NO. 3643 NEW SERIES

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, PROVIDING FIRE AND MEDICAL EMERGENCY AGENCY ASSURANCE IN SUPPORT OF THE BID TO HOST SUPER BOWL XLII (YEAR 2008 A.D.) AT THE CARDINALS STADIUM IN GLENDALE, ARIZONA.

WHEREAS, the National Football League (the "League") owns, produces and controls the annual professional football championship game known as the "Super Bowl", the largest national annual sporting event held in this country; and National Football League Properties, Inc. ("NFLP" or, together with the League, the "NFL") owns, produces and controls the "NFL Experience," and along with other NFL Affiliates owns, produces and controls certain other events associated with the Super Bowl ("Official Events"); and

WHEREAS, the City of Glendale is desirous of hosting Super Bowl XLII and has within its jurisdiction facilities and their premises, access roads, thoroughfares and other areas which may be used for the purposes of organizing, financing, promoting, accommodating, staging and conducting Super Bowl XLII and its related Official Events and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Glendale Fire Department is officially charged with the responsibility to provide fire and medical emergency services within the jurisdiction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE as follows:

SECTION 1. As requested by the NFL, and as part of the formal bid of the City of Glendale to be designated as the site for Super Bowl XLII, the Glendale Fire Department declares as follows:

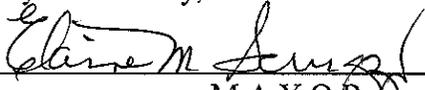
1. Upon designation of the City of Glendale as the site for Super Bowl XLII, and at all times thereafter, the Glendale Fire Department shall provide all fire and medical emergency services (including without limitation proper fire safety enforcement, emergency dispatch and paramedic services and supplies for the protection of people and property) reasonably necessary to the success of Super Bowl and related Official Events within its jurisdiction (whether, recognizing the uniqueness and extraordinary scope of the Super Bowl, such services are below, equal to or beyond the normal level and range of public safety services usually provided for events held within the jurisdiction), including all planning, training or deployment activities related to the provision of such services, all at no cost, expense or liability to the NFL or the two participating Teams (the "Teams").

2. Upon designation as the site for Super Bowl XLII, and at all times thereafter, the Fire Marshall shall acknowledge the unique and temporary status of construction

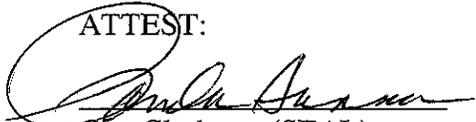
related to the Super Bowl and its Official Events and shall issue appropriate waivers for temporary structures to be constructed at the Stadium for the Super Bowl. Nothing herein shall be construed to require the Fire Marshall to approve any temporary structures which are unsafe or would create a hazard to the public.

3. The Glendale Fire Department agrees that neither the NFL, nor the Teams, nor any director, shareholder, officer, agent, employee or other representative of the NFL or the Teams shall be held accountable for or incur any financial responsibility or liability of any kind or nature whatsoever in connection with the fire and medical emergency services planned and/or provided relating to Super Bowl XLII and related Official Events.

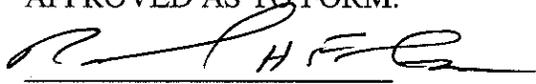
PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Glendale, Maricopa County, Arizona, this 25th day of February, 2003.

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk (SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
City Attorney

REVIEWED BY:

  
City Manager