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Joint Resolution Recognizing August 19, 2006 as Italian Day

[Salt Lake City, Utah] - A joint resolution signed by the Salt Lake City Council and Mayor Ross C. "Rocky" Anderson recognizing August 19, 2006 as Italian Day will be presented at the opening ceremonies of Ferragosto by Council Member Dave Buhler, Chair of the Salt Lake City Council.

Ferragosto is an Italian Cultural Street Fair sponsored by the Italian Center that is held annually on the third Saturday in August to coincide with traditional celebrations in Italy. This year's Italian Cultural Street Fair will be held on Saturday, August 19, 2006 in front of the Rio Grande Train station, along 300 South between 300 West to 450 West streets, with open ceremonies to begin at 12:00 noon. "There is a rich Italian history in Salt Lake City. Italian-Americans have made tremendous contributions to Salt Lake City and it is wonderful the community will have an opportunity to celebrate and experience the Italian traditions and culture," stated Council Member Buhler.

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