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“6 to 6” Pre-Enrollment Deadline Approaches

Applications Must be Postmarked by April 14, 2006

SAN DIEGO – The City of San Diego, in collaboration with San Diego City Schools and local community-based provider agencies, began the pre-enrollment application process for admission to San Diego's "6 to 6" Extended School Day Program for the 2006-2007 school year. Families interested in utilizing San Diego's "6 to 6" before Extended School Day Program are encouraged to complete a pre-enrollment application form and return it by mail to the designated provider agency by **April 14, 2006**.

If a student is accepted into the program, families will receive notification by July 31st and must fill out program enrollment forms which the provider agency will supply. Pre-enrollment information and forms are available for viewing and downloading on the City's Web site at www.sandiego.gov/6to6. Applications are also available at participating schools.

The City of San Diego, in partnership with area school districts, is committed to opening community schools before and after normal school hours to provide a safe place where elementary and middle school-aged children and youth can receive academic assistance and tutoring, and participate in recreational activities such as arts, crafts, and sports while their parents are at work.

San Diego's "6 to 6" Extended School Day Program serves all public elementary and middle school sites within the City limits, as well as some private schools. Funded by the City of San Diego and with various state and federal grants, the program serves approximately 22,000 children at 125 local schools.

For general information on the "6 to 6" Extended School Day Program, contact the **City's Office of Community Services** at (619) 236-6473 or visit www.sandiego.gov/6to6.

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