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**OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL**

**RESOLUTION No. 81192 C.M.S.**

Introduced by Councilmembers Nancy J. Nadel, Jean Quan, and Larry Reid

**Resolution Congratulating William Cherry For His Outstanding Teamwork On The McClymonds High School Boys Basketball Team, The Warriors, And The Team's Undefeated (32-0) Season And Division I California Interscholastic Federation (CIF) State Championship**

**WHEREAS**, on March 15, 2008, the Warriors, the McClymonds High School Boys Varsity Basketball Team, won the Division I California Interscholastic Federation (CIF) State Championship, capping an undefeated season, with a 73-54 triumph over the Dominguez-Compton Dons; and

**WHEREAS**, wearing jersey # 22 and proudly representing the Black and Orange, William Cherry was nicknamed 'Jesus' by Coach Moe because he said William would 'lead the Warriors to the promised land'; and

**WHEREAS**, William's dedicated teamwork helped lead the Warriors through their first undefeated season since 1962 and to the State Championship, the Warriors' first state title in school history;

**WHEREAS**, after winning the state title, the Warriors were named the Cal-Hi Sports State Team of the Year, and vaulted from last year's sixth position to being ranked Number Two in the nation this year; and

**WHEREAS**, in addition to his exceptional athletic achievements, William has maintained a 3.3 GPA; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That the elected officials, staff, and residents of Oakland hereby recognize William Cherry for his outstanding athletic and academic achievements, and are confident he will continue to lead and inspire by example.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, APR 15 2008, 20    

**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

AYES - BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, ~~KERNIGHAN~~, NADEL, QUAN, REID, and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE - 7

NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - 0

*Excused - Kernighan - 1*

ATTEST: *LaTonda Simmons*  
LaTonda Simmons  
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council  
of the City of Oakland, California