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# OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBERS ABEL GUILLÉN AND NOEL GALLO

## RESOLUTION HONORING FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL JEANETTE MACDONALD ON HER RETIREMENT AFTER 43 YEARS WITH THE OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

**WHEREAS**, Jeanette MacDonald, an Oakland native, attended Sacred Heart Elementary School and Holy Names High School, graduated from Holy Names College, and was inducted into the Phi Beta Kappa Society; and

**WHEREAS**, Jeanette MacDonald's career with the Oakland Unified School District spans 43 years; and

**WHEREAS**, Jeanette MacDonald served as a Teaching Assistant, a Supplementary Skills teacher, a Child Development Center/Early Childhood Education teacher at Lockwood and Laurel Elementary Schools, a Title VII Special Design Academic Instruction in English teacher, a Bilingual Spanish teacher, and then a year round teacher at Garfield Elementary School; and

**WHEREAS**, Jeanette MacDonald became the principal of Franklin Elementary School in 1992, and over the 21 years since then, has provided a stable learning environment for hundreds of students; and

**WHEREAS**, Jeanette MacDonald has developed lasting relationships that have enriched the Franklin learning environment: Century 21 Realty's dictionaries for students; the East Bay Youth Symphony Orchestra's musical presentations; the Oakland Rotary Club's awards for academic achievement; and the East Bay Asian Youth Center's after school programs; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City of Oakland congratulates Jeanette MacDonald on 43 years of remarkable service for the students of the Oakland Unified School District; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City of Oakland wish her all the best in her retirement as she enjoys her husband Bob MacDonald, five children and eight grandchildren, and maybe writes a few more plays for puppet show performers.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, CAMPBELL WASHINGTON, GALLO, GUILLÉN, KALB, KAPLAN, REID AND  
PRESIDENT GIBSON MCELHANEY

NOES -  
ABSENT -  
ABSTENTION -

ATTEST:

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LATONDA SIMMONS  
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of  
the City of Oakland, California