

 City Attorney

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. 83467 C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF OAKLAND, TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2010 COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT) GRANT FUNDS FROM THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000) FOR THE CITY OF OAKLAND, OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES, COMMUNITIES OF OAKLAND RESPOND TO EMERGENCIES (CORE) PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland and the Oakland City Council are committed to improving community emergency preparedness by providing citizens with the training and skills to sustain themselves and assist family members, neighbors, coworkers and others until emergency personnel arrive; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland and the Oakland City Council are committed to improving local government's emergency preparedness through ongoing support of its Emergency Management and Disaster Preparedness Council, which is Oakland's Disaster Council as prescribed by the California Emergency Services Act; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States established a Citizen Corps program to assist individual states with the development of Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT) and Citizen Corps Councils; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Domestic Preparedness, a branch of the federal Department of Homeland Security, provides the States with Homeland Security grants to fund a range of domestic preparedness initiatives, including the Citizens Corps program; and

WHEREAS, through the State of California's Homeland Security grant program, the State has allowed local jurisdictions to tailor Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) programs to meet the specific needs of their communities; and

WHEREAS, the Alameda County Operational Area is awarding and administering the grant to Alameda County jurisdictions for their local Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) programs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland's Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program is called the Communities of Oakland's Respond to Emergencies (CORE) program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland's Office of Emergency Services has requested and been awarded a CERT grant totaling \$50,000.00 for federal Fiscal Year 2010 to support its CERT program and there is no matching funds requirement or additional General Purpose Fund appropriation necessary for indirect costs, such as Central Service Overhead (CSO), Central Stores, and Contract Assessment; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Oakland City Council hereby authorizes the City Administrator or his designee to accept and appropriate funding from the State of California's Homeland Security Grant Program in the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) to the Alameda County Grant Fund (2160) for the Oakland Fire Department's Office of Emergency Services Organization (20711) Communities of Oakland Respond To Emergencies (CORE) Program, Account (to be determined), Project (to be determined), and the Office of Emergency Services/Homeland Security Program (PS21); and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the grant funds will be deposited into the Alameda County Grant Fund (2160) for the Oakland Fire Department's Office of Emergency Services Organization (20711), Miscellaneous State Grants Revenue Account (46229); and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Council hereby appoints the City Administrator, or his designee, as its agent to execute and submit all documents including, but not limited to, applications, agreements, payment requests, that may be necessary for the completion of the grant award, acceptance, reimbursements and project completion; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Office of the City Attorney has approved this resolution as to form and legality and a copy will be on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JUL 5 2011 , 20

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

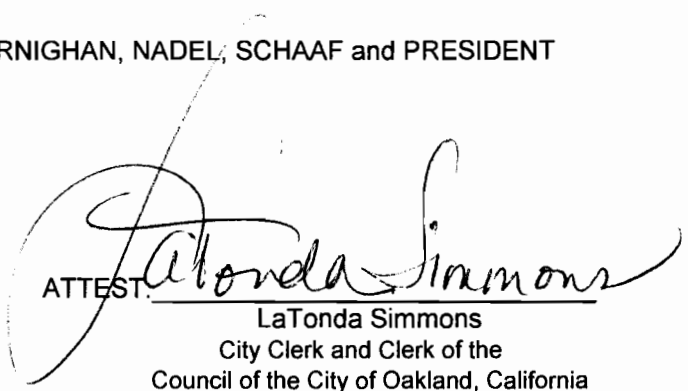
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NOES- 0

ABSENT- 0

ABSTENTION- 0

ATTEST.


LaTonda Simmons
City Clerk and Clerk of the
Council of the City of Oakland, California