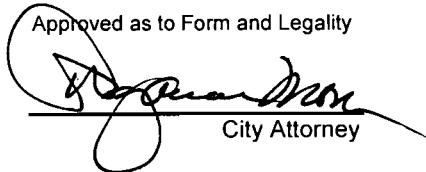


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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. 82801 C.M.S.

**RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT CALIFORNIA SENATE BILL 1100 WHICH
WILL REQUIRE MANUFACTURERS TO CREATE, FUND AND OPERATE
A PROGRAM TO RECYCLE AND/OR DISPOSE OF HOUSEHOLD
BATTERIES THEY SELL IN CALIFORNIA AFTER THEIR USEFUL LIFE**

WHEREAS, current state law classifies household batteries as Universal Waste, and bans them from disposal as solid waste, but does not allocate resources to provide consumers with convenient opportunities for safe and lawful disposal of household batteries; and

WHEREAS, the statewide disposal ban burdens local governments including Oakland with the cost of designing and implementing programs for the collection of household batteries; and

WHEREAS, SB 1100 (Corbett) would require household battery manufacturers to create, fund, and operate an Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) program for proper end-of-life recycling and/or disposal of household batteries they sell in California; and

WHEREAS, SB 1100 would result in increased, convenient opportunities for Oakland residents and businesses to safely and legally dispose of household batteries; and

WHEREAS, SB 1100 would relieve Alameda County Household Hazardous Waste facilities of the cost burden of recycling and/or disposal of household batteries, costs which are funded by Oakland garbage collection rate payers; and

WHEREAS, SB 1100 would shift these costs from local government to the manufacturers of household batteries, and reduce reliance on public household hazardous waste programs to capture and recycling and/or disposal of household batteries; and

WHEREAS, in 2007 the City Council adopted Resolution No. 80390 C.M.S. to support Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) legislation that would hold manufacturers responsible for the recycling and/or disposal of post-consumer waste products; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED: The City of Oakland declares its support for SB 1100 (Corbett) to require manufacturers of household batteries to create, fund, and operate an Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) program for proper end-of-life recycling and/or disposal of household batteries they sell in California; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Council hereby directs the City Administrator and the City's legislative lobbyist to advocate for enacting SB 1100 with the California State Legislature.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JUN 1 2010, 20

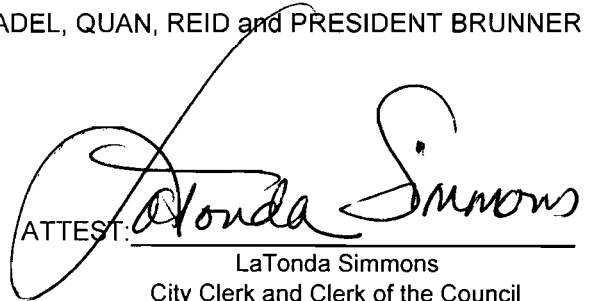
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, DE LA FUENTE, KAPLAN, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID and PRESIDENT BRUNNER - 8

NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - 0

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