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Oakland City Council

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

Introduced by Vice Mayor Nancy Nadel

RESOLUTION (1) PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF APRIL 30, 2012, AS CALIFORNIA PRESERVATION WEEK IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND, (2) PROCLAIMING THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2012, AS CALIFORNIA PRESERVATION DAY IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND, AND (3) WELCOMING THE CALIFORNIA PRESEVATION CONFERENCE, "OLD ROOTS, NEW GROWTH; CULTIVATING COMMUNITIES," TO THE CITY OF OAKLAND

WHEREAS, the California Preservation Foundation (CPF), a statewide membership organization dedicated to the preservation of California's rich and diverse historic resources, will hold the 37th Annual California Preservation Conference in the City of Oakland May 3-6, 2012; and

WHEREAS, the Oakland Heritage Alliance, our city's nonprofit preservation organization, is hosting this year's conference in conjunction with the CPF and has garnered the support of the City of Oakland, as well as organizations and volunteers throughout the Bay Area to produce a successful and welcoming event in our city; and

WHEREAS, Oakland was selected as the conference site because of its diverse historic, architectural, and cultural resources that are attractive to people who are working to preserve historic buildings, landscapes and cultural history throughout California; and

WHEREAS, the conference will showcase several unique historic Oakland sites, including City Hall, the Paramount and Fox Theatres, the uptown arts murmur walk, the Rotunda building, Lake Merritt, East Bay Regional Parks, the Peralta Hacienda, and recent adaptive reuses of urban spaces, including urban farms, waterfront food industries and waterfront parks, as well as other industrial sites; and

WHEREAS the conference will also highlight the value of historic preservation as an effective tool for sustainable development, revitalizing neighborhoods and downtowns, fostering local pride, and maintaining community character; and

WHEREAS, the conference provides the opportunity to celebrate the City of Oakland's 160th birthday, which coincides with the conference dates; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Oakland Heritage Alliance be recognized for its significant efforts in bringing this statewide conference to Oakland, as well as for planning and coordinating local workshops and tours; and, further

RESOLVED: That the City of Oakland declares the week of April 30 as California Preservation Week; Thursday, May 3, 2012, as California Preservation Day in the City of Oakland; and welcomes the California Preservation Conference, *Old Roots, New Growth; Cultivating Communities*, to our city.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, BRUNNER, DE LA FUENTE, KAPLAN, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, SCHAAF, AND
 PRESIDENT REID

NOES -

ABSENT -

ABSTENTION -

ATTEST:

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