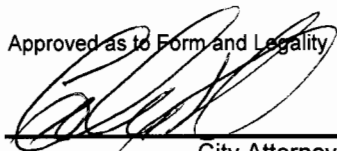


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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. 88888 C.M.S.

RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT CALIFORNIA SENATE BILL (SB) 567 (DESAULNIER) WHICH WOULD EXTEND EXISTING ENVIRONMENTAL LABELING REQUIREMENTS AFFECTING PLASTIC BAGS AND FOOD AND BEVERAGE CONTAINERS TO ALL PLASTIC PRODUCTS

WHEREAS, littered plastics that enter storm drains and waterways cause significant environmental harm and burden local governments with significant environmental cleanup costs; and

WHEREAS, use of terms like “biodegradable” to label plastic products may mislead the consumer to believe that some plastic products are less harmful to the environment than others when littered; and

WHEREAS, SB 567 would extend existing labeling requirements placed on plastic bags and food and beverage containers to all plastic products; and

WHEREAS, in December 2006 through Resolution No. 80286 C.M.S. the City Council adopted a Zero Waste Strategic Plan that included advocating for manufacturer responsibility for product waste; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, the City of Oakland declares its support for SB 567 (DeSaulnier) to

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council hereby directs the City Administrator and the City’s legislative lobbyist to advocate for enacting SB 567 with the California State Legislature.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, MAY 3 2011, 20

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

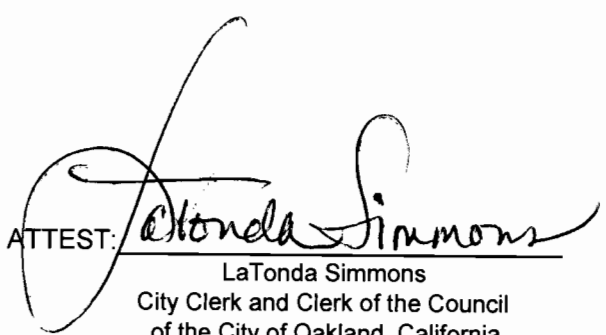
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NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - 0

Excused - Kaplan - 1

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