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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Resolution No. 81901 C.M.S.

Introduced by Councilmember _____

RESOLUTION HONORING MR. WAYNE GUIDICI FOR THIRTY-THREE (33) YEARS OF DEDICATED AND DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO THE CITY OF OAKLAND AND CONGRATULATING HIM ON HIS RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, Wayne Guidici, an Oakland resident has provided over thirty-three (33) years of dedicated and distinguished service to the City of Oakland; and

WHEREAS, Wayne Guidici, began his career with the City of Oakland in June 1973, as a Part-Time Park Attendant with the Park Ranger Department, at the Knowland Zoo and Joaquin Miller Park; and

WHEREAS, in December 1973 he became a permanent employee and was assigned to the Public Works Agency, District 4, Street Department at Shephard Canyon, where he was responsible for the cleaning, repair, and unplugging of storm drains, as well as, the repairing and installation of asphalt on City streets until being laid off due to Proposition 13; and

WHEREAS, in November 1981, he was re-hired to the Public Works Agency, Sewer Maintenance Division as a Sewer Maintenance Worker where he was responsible for the maintenance and repair of the City's sanitary sewer system; and

WHEREAS, in March 1987, he was promoted to the position of Sewer Maintenance Leader and was responsible for leading crews for the inspection, cleaning, repair, and opening of clogged sanitary sewer mains while operating such equipment as the Hydro Flusher, Power Rodder, Drag Machine and the Closed Circuit Television Unit; and

WHEREAS, in 1989, Wayne Guidici, was responsible for supervising crews during the revitalization efforts for the Catastrophic 1989 Loma Prieta Earthquake. Mr. Guidici worked from the City's command post located at 7101 Edgewater Drive where he dispatched complaints and his crews were utilized as first responders, as well as, assisting other outside agencies, i.e., Police and Fire, with whatever was necessary to restore order to various affected areas; and

WHEREAS, in 1991, Wayne Guidici, was responsible for supervising crews during the Oakland Hills Firestorm. He was responsible for responding to citizen complaints in a timely manner and consulting with the citizens regarding securing their properties, as well as, offering reassurance that the Public Works Agency was there for them; and

WHEREAS, in June 1992, Wayne Guidici, was promoted to the position of Public Works Supervisor I, in the Traffic Maintenance Division where he was responsible for supervising crews for the installation, repair, and maintenance of all street signage within the City of Oakland; and

WHEREAS, in 1997-1998, Wayne Guidici, was responsible for supervising crews around the clock during El Niño recovery and restoration initiatives and responded to all citizen complaints to assist citizens with critical problems; and

WHEREAS, in 2000, Wayne Guidici was re-assigned as a Public Works Supervisor I to the Storm Drain Maintenance Division at Shephard Canyon, where he was responsible for planning, and scheduling of work performed by crews for the inspection, cleaning, and repairs of the City's Storm Drain System. Later that same year he returned to the Sewer Maintenance Division, where he was responsible for the supervision, planning, and scheduling of work performed by crews for the inspection, cleaning, repair, and opening of clogged sanitary sewer mains and the entering of all division records and pertinent information into the City's data base system. He was also responsible for providing staff with their yearly mandatory safety trainings; and

WHEREAS, Wayne Guidici, received multiple certificates, such as the FEMA Emergency Response Training in Emmittsburg, Maryland, Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response, the State of California, Traffic Control Training, Confined Space Training, and certification for complying with Cal/OSHA rules and regulations; and

WHEREAS, Wayne Guidici, has spent the last ten (10) years as the Public Works Representative for the Service Delivery System (SDS), District 4 and District 6. He was responsible for ensuring that all Public Works maintenance requests for new signage, street painting, lighting, street cleaning, graffiti, litter pick up and illegal dumping, in those districts were completed and followed through to completion; and

WHEREAS, Wayne Guidici, through his hard work and dedication has earned the respect of his staff, coworkers, supervisors, and managers; and

WHEREAS, Wayne Guidici will take fond memories with him and enjoy his retirement with his family and friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: that the elected officials, staff, and citizens of Oakland hereby recognize Wayne Guidici for his outstanding service and many contributions to the City of Oakland, and the Public Works Agency, which exemplify excellence in the workplace; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: that the City of Oakland and the City Administrator extend their congratulations on behalf of the citizens of Oakland to Wayne Guidici for 33 years of dedicated service, and professionalism to the City of Oakland and join his colleagues and associates in saluting his achievements and offering sincere appreciation. His service, knowledge and skills will be greatly missed.


IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, APR 21 2009

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, DE LA FUENTE, KAPLAN, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, AND
~~PRESIDENT BRUNNER~~ - 7

NOES - 0
ABSENT - Brunner - 1
ABSTENTION - 0

ATTEST:



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