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Letter of Nomination

February 15, 2011

The Honorable City Council  
One City Hall Plaza, Second Floor  
Oakland, CA 94612

Dear President Reid and members of the City Council:

Pursuant to City Charter section 601, the Mayor, hereby appoints the following persons as members of the following Board or Commission, subject to the City Council's confirmation:

**BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**Bruce Nye** Mayoral representative on the recommendation of the Chairperson of the Finance and Management Committee to serve a term beginning May 26, 2009 and ending May 25, 2011, filling the seat previously held by Margaret Salazar.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Jean Quan  
Mayor

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CITY ATTORNEY

## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_ C.M.S.

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### RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF BRUCE NYE TO THE BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**WHEREAS**, Section 601 of the City Charter provides that members of City boards and commissions shall be appointed by the Mayor subject to confirmation by the affirmative vote of five members of the City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, Resolution No. 74826 C.M.S., adopted March 2, 1999, creates the Budget Advisory Committee to provide fiscal management in an advisory capacity to the City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, the Budget Advisory Committee consists of 15 members, one (1) apiece recommended by each of the eight City Councilmembers, one (1) appointed by the Mayor to act as Chairperson, three (3) appointed by the Mayor from a list of 12 recommendations from the Chamber of Commerce, two (2) recommended by the Chairperson of the Finance and Management Committee, and one (1) recommended by the Chairperson of the Community and Economic Committee, each serving no more than two consecutive two-year terms and each subject to the approval of the City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, the Honorable Mayor Jean Quan on the recommendation of the Chair of the Finance and Management Committee has appointed Bruce Nye to serve a two year term subject to confirmation by the City Council; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that pursuant to City Charter section 601, the City Council hereby confirms the Mayor's appointment of Bruce Nye to a two-year term beginning May 26, 2009 and ending May 25, 2011, filling the seat previously held

by Margaret Salazar.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,  
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

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

NOES –

ABSTENTIONS-

ABSENT-

ATTEST:

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LATONDA SIMMONS

City Clerk and Clerk of the Oakland City Council

**BRUCE NYE**

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**CURRENT PROFESSION:** Attorney and Managing Partner

Adams | Nye | Becht LLP  
222 Kearny Street, Seventh Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94108-4521

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Partner: Adams | Nye | Becht LLP, 1993 – Present

Partner: Popelka, Allard, McCowan & Jones, 1982 – 1993

Associate Attorney: Popelka, Allard, McCowan & Jones, 1977 - 1982

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**EDUCATION**

University of California, Hastings College of Law  
J.D., 1977 (Member, Order of The Coif, The Thurston Society)

University of California, Berkeley,  
B.A., Political Science awarded 1973  
Independent Senior Thesis studied the City of Oakland's  
Relationship with the Oakland Scavenger Company

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**PERSONAL**

Married to Risa Elkind Nye; three adult children.

Resident of Oakland 1971 – 1973, 1980 to present.

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**COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

Current: Founding member and Board Chair, Make Oakland Better Now!,  
([www.MakeOaklandBetterNow.org](http://www.MakeOaklandBetterNow.org)) 2009 to present.

Past: Board member, Read Aloud Volunteer Program, ([www.RAVP.org](http://www.RAVP.org)) 1998 – 2009.

Past: Member, Oakland Unified School District Transfer Advisory Committee, 1991 –  
1992.

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