

CITY OF OAKLAND  
MEMORANDUM

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TO: Rules & Legislation Committee  
ATTN: Assistant to the City Manager  
FROM: Name: Councilmember Nancy Nadel  
Phone No: x7031  
Address/Agency/Dept: Council District 3

DATE: March 18, 2004

SUBJECT: REQUEST TO SCHEDULE AGENDA ITEM

TITLE: PRESENTATION AND RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE CITY OF OAKLAND'S 10<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL EARTH EXPO  
(presentation together with Earth Day resolution presentation)

SCHEDULING RECOMMENDATION:

- A. Committee \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please specify Committee. Committees meet 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays)
- \_\_\_\_\_ City Council \_\_\_\_\_ Redevelopment Agency  
(Council/Agency meets on 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays)
- B. Meeting Date: April 20, 2004

Is there a statutory, regulatory, financial or grant deadline? Specify: No

Is a staff report required/requested? No

What is the fiscal impact on the City/Agency? none

If the ten-day (Sunshine Ordinance) agenda deadline cannot be met, please indicate reason:

- Item constitutes an "emergency" (Crippling disaster, work stoppage or other activity which severely impacts public health and/or safety)
- It was not reasonably possible to place the proposed item on the two-week agenda AND any of the following exist:
- Item requires immediate action to avoid a substantial adverse impact if action is deferred to a subsequent special or regular meeting;
- Item requires immediate action relating to federal or state legislation;
- Item requires immediate action relating to eligibility for a grant or gift; OR
- Item is ceremonial.

Explain why item could not have been placed on the 10-day agenda:

A separate request must be completed for each item for scheduling. Requests must be submitted in **electronic format** by **6:00 p.m.** of the **Tuesday** preceding the relevant Rules & Legislation Committee meeting.  
Attach any supporting documentation.

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**OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL**

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

**INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER NADEL**

**RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE CITY OF OAKLAND'S 10<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL EARTH EXPO**

**WHEREAS**, in 1994, the City of Oakland conducted its First Annual Environmental Expo to provide residents and businesses a venue to expand their knowledge of environmental issues, awareness and conservation; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Annual Expo provides community outreach, education, and participation by providing public information about issues including: beautification, energy and water conservation, air quality awareness and enhancement, recycling and solid waste management, volunteer stewardship opportunities, alternative fuel vehicles, community gardening and environmental sustainability; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Expo is the City's kickoff event for its annual celebration of Earth Month which includes: Earth Day, Bike to Work Day, and Arbor Day; and,

**WHEREAS**, over 40,000 people have come and participated in this educational event over the past 10 years, with an average of 80 organizations presenting educational information on important environmental issues, programs and services each year; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the members of the Oakland City Council profess their gratitude to all the residents, environmental organizations, non-profits and businesses dedicated to making the Annual Earth Expo a great success, integrating the information it provides into their lives and daily routines; and especially to the City staff, whose hard work and dedication have made Oakland a leader in environmental sustainability and resource conservation.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, \_\_\_\_\_, 2004

**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

AYES- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, NADEL, QUAN, REID, WAN AND  
PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST:

CEDA FLOYD  
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council  
of the City of Oakland, California

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