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**OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL**

Resolution No. 32800 C.M.S.

Introduced by Councilmember Patricia Kernighan

Approved as to Form and Legality

  
Oakland City Attorney's Office

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**RESOLUTION REQUIRING A STATEMENT IN THE AGENDA REPORT DISCLOSING THE SOURCE OF FUNDING FOR COUNCILMEMBER TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION EXPENSES FOR WHICH CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL IS SOUGHT; AND IF CITY FUNDS ARE TO BE USED, THE PROJECTED AMOUNT THEREOF**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council wishes to establish a policy to enhance transparency in the use of public funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council reports annually on travel expenses for trips involving airline transportation or lodging paid for by the City of Oakland during the prior year; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council wishes to make known to the public the costs funded by the City of Oakland for trips that involve airline transportation or lodging at the time approval is sought from the Council; and

**WHEREAS**, Councilmembers agendize their requests for City Council approval for travel funded by the City of Oakland; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**: that the City Council hereby establishes a policy that Councilmembers, when seeking Council approval for travel, shall indicate in agenda reports whether City funds will be used when travel involves airline transportation and lodging; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: that the City Council establishes a policy that Councilmembers shall provide in agenda reports an estimate of the cost of airline, lodging, per diem and conference fees when City funds are used and the source of City and/or Redevelopment Agency funding that will be used to cover the travel costs.

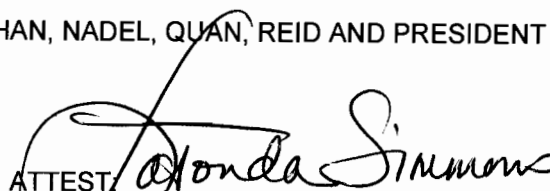
IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JUN 1 2010, 2010

**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

AYES - BROOKS, DE LA FUENTE, KAPLAN, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID AND PRESIDENT BRUNNER - 8

NOES - 0  
ABSENT - 0  
ABSTENTION - 0

ATTEST

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