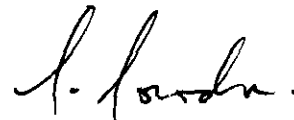


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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.



**RESOLUTION OF INTENTION AND ACCEPTING THE
FISCAL YEAR 2006-07 PRELIMINARY ENGINEER'S REPORT FOR THE
CITY OF OAKLAND WILDFIRE PREVENTION ASSESSMENT DISTRICT
AND SETTING THE DATE FOR A PUBLIC HEARING**

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland Wildfire Prevention Assessment District (WPAD) was established on January 20, 2004 under the authority of the Oakland Fire Suppression, Prevention and Preparedness District Ordinance of 2003 (ordinance no. 12556 C.M.S.); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Oakland Municipal Code, the City is required to review and approve the District's the Preliminary Engineer's Report, confirm the assessment proposed in the Preliminary Engineer's Report, and levy the assessment each year; and

WHEREAS, the City Administrator filed with the City Clerk and presented before the Finance and Management Committee of the City Council, on April 25, 2006, reports for the continuation of the Wildfire Prevention Assessment District in order to finance the costs and expenses related to fire suppression, prevention and preparedness services and programs in the Oakland hills; and

WHEREAS, the District Engineer has submitted the Preliminary Engineer's Report for the District confirming the applicability of the existing assessment rates for FY 2006-2007, which is on file with the City Clerk; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council intends to levy and collect assessments within the City of Oakland Wildfire Prevention Assessment District for FY 2006-2007, with no increase in assessments from prior years; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Council preliminarily accepts the Preliminary Engineer's Report for the Wildfire Prevention Assessment District for discussion purposes; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That all the area of land to be assessed is located in the City of Oakland, Alameda County; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That a public hearing is set for Thursday, June 8, 2006 at 5:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the item may be heard, in the City Council Chambers, Oakland City Hall, One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Oakland, California regarding the FY 2006-07 Wildfire Prevention Assessment District and the levy of assessments; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Office of the City Administrator is directed to publish notice of the public hearing no later than June 1, 2006.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, MAY 2 2006, 2006

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES--- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE -8

NOES--- 0

ABSENT--- 0

ABSTENTION--- 0

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