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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 77968 C.M.S.

JUL 30 PM 12:22
CITY CLERK

A RESOLUTION HONORING THE YOUNG SOLDIERS YOUTH BASKETBALL TEAM

WHEREAS, the Young Soldiers is a youth basketball team made up of ten boys from the East Bay who are coached by Carl Sims and his assistant, Graylyn Richard; and

WHEREAS, after winning first place in a Pacific Regional Tournament, the Young Soldiers were invited to compete in a National Tournament, sponsored by the Amateur Athletic Union (AAU) in Memphis, Tennessee, June 22 through June 29, 2003; and

WHEREAS, one-hundred and forty teams from across the nation, all consisting of boys who were thirteen years of age or younger, participated in the AAU National Tournament; and

WHEREAS, the Young Soldiers advanced to the championship game, which was played on June 29, 2003, and placed second in the nation in final competition of the AAU National Tournament; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED: that the Oakland City Council supports and commends the outstanding work and achievement of the Young Soldiers and their coaches.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JUL 29 2003, 20

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

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

NOES- 0

ABSENT- 0

ABSTENTION- 0

ATTEST: *[Signature]*
CEDA FLOYD
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California