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# OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 80685 C.M.S.

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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF OAKLAND AND ATTITUDINAL HEALING CONNECTION, INC. FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$160,000 TO PROVIDE RESTORATIVE JUSTICE TRAINING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE VIOLENCE PREVENTION AND PUBLIC SAFETY ACT OF 2004 FOR THE PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2007 TO JUNE 30, 2008 WITH A ONE-YEAR OPTION TO RENEW**

**WHEREAS**, City of Oakland voters passed Measure Y, the Violence Prevention and Public Safety Act of 2004, in November 2004, approving a series of taxes to support violence prevention objectives, programs and services to reduce violence among children, youth and young adults in Oakland; and

**WHEREAS**, City Council approved in May 2005 specific Measure Y violence prevention strategies with funding of which one was for Restorative Justice for Oakland Youth; and

**WHEREAS**, City Council has identified the need to continue a successful Restorative Justice program at Cole Middle School; and

**WHEREAS**, the \$25,000 of funding for this agreement is available in Public Safety Act / 2004 Measure Y Fund (2251), DHS Administration Organization (78111), DHS Measure Y- Restorative Justice Training (RJT) Project (G261259) and \$135,000 of funding is available in Public Safety Act / 2004 Measure Y Fund (2251), DHS Administration Organization (78111), DHS Measure Y- Reserve Fund Project (G261273); and

**WHEREAS**, the Measure Y strategy for restorative justice seeks to train professional staff and community members working with youth, at highest risk such as those on probation and parole, in the principles and practices of restorative justice; and

**WHEREAS**, the Restorative Justice for Oakland Youth (RJOY) Committee consists of various representatives from the City of Oakland, Alameda County District Attorney's Office, Oakland Unified School District and community members; and

**WHEREAS**, the RJOY Committee determined it needed professional support to facilitate their monthly meetings, maintain a resource library, support the on-going restorative justice circles and arrange for community training events; and

**WHEREAS**, the RJOY Committee has determined that Attitudinal Healing Connection, Inc., a local non-profit agency with a mission encompassing restorative justice principles, is the only agency in Oakland with the facilitation and organizational expertise to provide the support needed; and

**WHEREAS**, Attitudinal Healing Connection, Inc., has successfully provided services through an agreement with the City since 2006 per Resolution 80106; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council finds that this agreement shall not result in the loss of employment or salary by any person having permanent status in the competitive services; now therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**: That pursuant to Oakland Municipal Code section 2.04.051.B and findings set forth in the City Administrator's report accompanying this item, the City Council finds and determines that is in the best interests of the City to waive the competitive request for proposal/qualifications process for the Restorative Justice Training agreement and so waives the requirement; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That the City Administrator is hereby authorized to award the agreement with Attitudinal Healing Connection, Inc. in the amount of \$25,000 from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008, with a one-year option to renew contingent upon successful performance for \$25,000; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That these funds will be allocated from Public Safety Act / 2004 Measure Y Fund (2251), DHS Administration Organization (78111), DHS Measure Y Restorative Justice Training (RJT) Project (G261259); and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That the City Administrator is hereby authorized to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents, including but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, modifications, payment requests and related actions which may be necessary in accordance with its basic purpose; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That said agreement shall be approved as to form and legality by the Office of the City Attorney and placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JUL 3 2007, 20    

**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

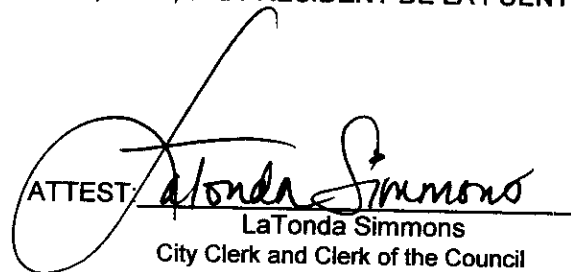
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NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - 0

ATTEST:

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