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TO: Office of the City Administrator
ATTN: Deborah Edgerly
FROM: Public Works Agency
DATE: February 8, 2005

RE: **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DONATION OF ONE SURPLUS 1990
GMC FLEETWOOD COMMAND POST VEHICLE TO THE EAST BAY
REGIONAL PARK DISTRICT**

SUMMARY

A report and resolution have been prepared authorizing the City Administrator to donate one City-owned surplus Fire Department command post vehicle to the East Bay Regional Park District (EBRPD). The EBRPD has requested the donation of this vehicle to support its response to emergencies within the EBRPD.

Donation of the command post vehicle to the EBRPD would encourage support between the City of Oakland and EBRPD, making it available for use at critical and mutual aid incidents throughout Alameda County.

FISCAL IMPACTS

Approval of this resolution would result in the loss of \$10,000 of revenue to the Equipment Fund (Fund 4100). Surplus vehicles are generally auctioned to the public to generate revenue for the Equipment Fund. The sale of surplus vehicles typically generates between \$200,000 and \$300,000 in revenue annually for this fund. The fair market value of the subject surplus unit is \$10,000. The Equipment Fund has a negative fund balance of approximately \$5.56 million. The Equipment Division believes that this loss of revenue is offset by the goodwill accrued to Oakland and by continued use of the vehicle in mutual aid that would benefit Oakland.

BACKGROUND

The EBRPD has requested the donation of City-owned vehicle no. 0222, a 1990-model year GMC Fleetwood 34-foot motor home for use by the EBRPD Police Department. Vehicle no. 0222 has reached the end of its service life and is considered surplus to the City. The donated unit would be used by EBRPD as a command post in the event of an emergency or natural disaster, and to facilitate community outreach in its volunteer police recruitment drives and community events. The EBRPD Police, in goodwill, recently donated a 24-foot 1987 Farallon boat, valued at \$65,000, to the Oakland Police Department for patrolling the waterways in and around the City of Oakland. This vessel was approved and accepted by Oakland City Council Resolution Number 78586 C.M.S., dated June 1, 2004.

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In the past, the City has donated surplus vehicles and equipment to other non-profit organizations, such as the Dunsmuir House and Gardens, the College of Alameda, the cities of Alameda and Vallejo, and the Oakland Unified School District.

With City Council approval, this unit can be made available to the EBRPD. Donation of this unit would be beneficial to the EBRPD, would promote continued goodwill between Oakland and the EBRPD, and would support mutual aid between Oakland and EBRPD in the event of an emergency or natural disaster.

SUSTAINABLE OPPORTUNITIES

Economic: Donation of the command vehicle to the EBRPD would eliminate the expense of housing and maintaining the unit. East Bay Regional Park District has agreed to provide mutual aid using the command vehicle in the event of an emergency or natural disaster.

Environmental: There are no environmental opportunities associated with the donation of the command vehicle.

Social Equity: East Bay Regional Park District intends to use the vehicle in community outreach for recruiting volunteers for its police activities. Citizens of Oakland can have greater access to the volunteer opportunities available in the EBRPD through the use of this vehicle.

DISABILITY AND SENIOR CITIZEN ACCESS

There are no ADA or senior citizens access issues contained in this report.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that Council accept this report and approve the proposed resolution to donate a used 1990 GMC Fleetwood 34-foot motor home to the East Bay Regional Park District.

Respectfully submitted,



RAUL GODINEZ, II

Director, Public Works Agency

Reviewed by:

Bruce Saunders, Assistant Director

Department of Infrastructure and Operations

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APPROVED AND FORWARDED TO THE
PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE:



OFFICE OF THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

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WHEREAS, the City Administrator has determined that one 1990-model year GMC Fleetwood 34-foot motor home, vehicle number 0222, is surplus property owned by the City, which has a value not exceeding its continued care, handling, maintenance or storage; and

WHEREAS, said motor home is surplus to the needs of the City; and

WHEREAS, the donation of the City's surplus motor home to the East Bay Regional Park District will be used as a command center during critical event responses; and

WHEREAS, the donation of this unit would strengthen ties with the East Bay Regional Park District and encourage mutual aid; and

WHEREAS, the City Council may, pursuant to Oakland Municipal Code, Article 2, Chapter 2.04, Section 2.04.120, C, authorize the donation of surplus property, the value of which exceeds the cost of continued care, handling, maintenance or storage, to public agencies; and

WHEREAS, in addition to certain other releases, the East Bay Regional Park District, has agreed to indemnify and hold harmless the City, its Councilmembers, officers and agents from liability for actions, claims, losses, etc. that arise from the use of the motor home; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That, pursuant to Oakland Municipal Code, Article 2, Chapter 2.04, Section 2.04.120, C, the City Council finds and determines that vehicle number 0222, a 1990 GMC Fleetwood 34-foot motor home owned by Oakland is surplus to the needs of the City; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Council hereby finds and determines that it is in the best interests of the City to donate surplus equipment to the East Bay Regional Park District, and authorizes the City Administrator to take this action.

In Council, Oakland, California, _____, 2005

Passed By the Following Vote:

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

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST: _____

LATONDA SIMMONS
Interim City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California