

Letter of Nomination

September 19, 2011

The Honorable City Council
One City Hall Plaza, Second Floor
Oakland, CA 94612

Dear President Reid and members of the City Council:

Pursuant to City Charter section 601, the Mayor, hereby appoints the following person as a member of the following Board or Commission, subject to the City Council's confirmation:

OAKLAND HOUSING AUTHORITY BOARD

Barbara Millican Montgomery, Mayoral appointment to serve the term beginning July 1, 2010 and ending June 30, 2012, filling the seat previously held by William Curry.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Jean Quan Mayor FILED OFFICE OF THE CITY CLEAR OAKLAND

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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

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RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF BARBARA MILLICAN MONTGOMERY AS A MEMBER OF THE OAKLAND HOUSING AUTHORITY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 6341 C.M.S. pursuant to the California Health and Safety Code section 34270, which authorizes the City of Oakland to declare the need for a housing authority by adopting such a resolution; and

WHEREAS, California Health and Safety Code section 34270 authorizes the Mayor, subject to confirmation of a majority of the members of the Council, to appoint five commissioners; and

WHEREAS, California Health and Safety Code sections 34270 and 34272(d) provide (1) that the Mayor shall appoint, subject to the confirmation of a majority of the members of the Council, two additional commissioners who are tenants of the authority, one of whom shall be over 62 years of age if the authority has tenants of such age, and (2) that if a tenant commissioner ceases to be a tenant of the authority he/she shall be disqualified and another tenant shall be appointed to fill the unexpired term; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to California Health and Safety Code section 34272 the tenant commissioners' terms shall be two years; all other commissioners' terms shall be four years; and all vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term; AND

WHEREAS, the Oakland Housing Authority Board consists of seven members, 5 of whom serve four-year terms, with the other two being residents of public housing, one of whom is over 62 years of age, each serving two-year terms; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Mayor Jean Quan has appointed Barbara Millican Montgomery to complete the two-year term previously held by William Curry, which began on July 1, 2011 and would have ended on June 30, 2012, on the Oakland Housing Authority Board as senior tenant representative subject to confirmation by the City Council; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the City Council hereby confirms the Mayor's appointment	of the
following individual to the term set forth below:	

Barbara Millican Montgomery, appointed to complete the two-year term beginning on July 1, 2010 and ending June 30, 2012, filling the seat previously held by William Curry.

In Council, Oakland, California,	
Passed By The Following Vote:	
Ayes- Brooks, Brunner, De La Fue President Reid Noes-	ente, Kaplan, Kemighan, Nadel, Schaaf and
Absent-	
Abstention-	
	Attest:
	LaTonda Simmons
	City Clerk and Clerk of the
	Council of the City of Oakland

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Barbara Millican Montgomery

August 22, 2011

The Honorable Jean Quan Mayor of the City of Oakland 1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza 3rd Floor Oakland, CA 94612

Dear Mayor Quan:

I am honored to submit my name for the Board of Commission for the Housing Authority of the City of Oakland. As a resident, I have given my heart and passion to our community, including at the ACORN apartment community where I have had the benefit of participating in the Section 8 subsidy program for the past ten years.

As a Commissioner, I bring a variety of professional skills and experience to the Authority. I served on the City of Oakland Enhanced Enterprise Community Policy Board under the Clinton Administration, am a founding member of both the Acorn Apartments Tenant Association and the Oakland Housing Authority Resident Advisory Board, retired from a career as a Nurses Aide, Co-Chair of Neighborhood Crime Prevention Council 2X, hold my Silver Certificate in Christian Education and have had the privilege of being recognized by the Alameda County Women's Hall of Fame for community service.

I look forward to speaking with you about my interest in serving the Oakland Housing Authority community and the city of Oakland and can be reached at (510) 839-6728 by telephone or by email at montgomery953@att.net.

Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Barbara Montgomen

Richard Cowen, City of Oakland, Community Services Manager

Cc:

BARBARA MILLICAN MONTGOMERY



BIO

Barbara Montgomery has been a resident of Oakland for over forty years. She has been an active member of the West Oakland Community for many years, serving on numerous boards and committees. Barbara worked as a Nurses Aide at the University of California Medical Center and at Laguna Honda Hospital in San Francisco. She attended Laney College taking courses in Psychology and Business Management. Barbara studied Theology at Patten College for four years and received a Silver Certificate in Christian Education. In 1998, Barbara received training as a Community Building Intern when President Bill Clinton designated areas of Oakland as an Enhanced Enterprise Community. Barbara was appointed to the Board of the EEC (Enhanced Enterprise Community) Policy Board. The role of this board was to oversee the distribution and monitoring of \$44 million dollars given to the City of Oakland from the Clinton Administration. This position also allowed Barbara to accompany then Mayor Elihu Harris, Mayor Jerry Brown, other staff members, and a host of distinguished leaders to visit the White House. In 2001, Barbara's commitment to improving the quality of life for all Oakland residents was lauded as she received a Grandmother of the Year Nomination. In 2008, Barbara was inducted into the Alameda County Women's Hall of Fame in recognition of Community Service. In addition to the aforementioned accomplishments, other past and current associations include:

- Founder and Former President of the Acorn Apartments Tenant Association
- Former Member of the Oakland Community Policing Task Force
- Founder and Former Secretary of C.W.O.R (Coalition for West Oakland Revitalization)
- Member of E.C.W.O.R (Economic Coalition for West Oakland Revitalization)
- Board Member EEC (Enhanced Enterprise Community) Policy Board
- 1998 Attendee at the White House Conference for Revitalization Funds
- Member of RAB (Resident Advisory Board) Oakland Housing Authority
- Board Member of CDBG (Community Development Block Grant) District 3
- Co-Chair Neighborhood Crime Prevention Council N.C.P.C
- Board Member and Secretary of the West Oakland Land Trust
- Commissioner Citizens Police Review Board

Barbara is a tireless and committed public servant whose efforts and demonstrated leadership is an example to all.