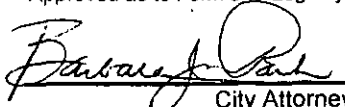


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# OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

  
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2009 APR 23 PM 5:16 RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ C.M.S.

Introduced by Council President Brunner

**A Resolution Declaring The Week Of May 18 Through 22, 2009 As Hepatitis B Awareness Week In The City Of Oakland And Encouraging Residents To Support Programs To Promote Awareness And Treatment Of The Disease In Oakland And Throughout Northern California**

**WHEREAS**, on May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2009, the City of Oakland wishes to recognize Hepatitis B Awareness Week in Oakland; and

**WHEREAS**, the hepatitis B virus (HBV) attacks the liver and can cause one in four people to die of liver cancer if not properly monitored and treated; and

**WHEREAS**, hepatitis B is a worldwide epidemic that is killing one million people every year; and

**WHEREAS**, liver cancer is the single greatest health disparity between Asian Americans and Caucasians; and

**WHEREAS**, the Jade Ribbon Youth Council will partner with several other organizations to implement outreach events throughout Oakland now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED**: that the City Council of Oakland, hereby declares the week of May 18 through 22, 2009 as **Hepatitis B Awareness Week** in the City of Oakland and be it,

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: that the City Council encourages residents to support programs to promote awareness and treatment of the disease in Oakland and throughout Northern California.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

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

NOES -

ABSENT -

ABSTENTION -

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
LaTonda Simmons  
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council  
of the City of Oakland, California