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# OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ C.M.S.

## INTRODUCED BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT PATRICIA KERNIGHAN

### **A RESOLUTION HONORING THE NEIGHBORHOOD VOLUNTEER LEADERS OF COUNCIL DISTRICT 2**

**WHEREAS**, the Council District 2 includes Chinatown, East Lake, San Antonio, San Antonio Hills, Bella Vista, Brooklyn, Cleveland Heights, Trestle Glen, Crocker Highlands and Rose Garden neighborhoods; and

**WHEREAS**, neighborhood leaders in each of these neighborhoods have devoted countless hours to organizing their neighbors for community improvement projects, which have included:

- Earth Day and Creek to Bay Day clean-ups, Graffiti Paint Out and Neighborhood Clean-up Events
- Park Maintenance Projects at Morcom Rose Garden, Splash Pad Park, Lake Merritt Parkland, Cleveland Cascade, Morgan Plaza Park, San Antonio Park
- Cleaning and Greening of Medians
- Advocacy for curb ramps and bicycle lanes to improve safety for pedestrians and bicyclists
- Holiday Picnics and Parties in Bella Vista Park for Children, Teens and Their Families; East Lake Music Festival; Movies on the Parkway Theater
- Book collections for children, coat drives for the homeless
- National Night Out neighborhood celebrations
- Peace walks and other "walk and talk" community cohesiveness events
- Serving as leaders of Neighborhood Crime Prevention Councils and other neighborhood improvement organizations; and

**WHEREAS**, the neighborhood volunteer leaders have been key to improving the quality of life for residents throughout District 2; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That Council President and District 2 Councilmember Patricia Kernighan and her Oakland City Council colleagues recognize the District 2 Neighborhood Volunteer Leaders for their exemplary dedication to the communities they work tirelessly to improve.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, GALLO, KALB, KAPLAN, MCELHANEY, REID, SCHAAF AND PRESIDENT KERNIGHAN

NOES -

ABSENT -

ABSTENTION -

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
LATONDA SIMMONS  
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the  
City of Oakland, California