

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL


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RESOLUTION NO. 77991 C.M.S.

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE A GRANT FROM THE CALIFORNIA BUSINESS, TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING AGENCY FOR AN ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF \$220,000 FOR THE PERIOD OF OCTOBER 1, 2003 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2004; AND TO ADMINISTER THROUGH THE OAKLAND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY PROJECT A MINI-GRANT PROGRAM FOR COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS TO ADDRESS PEDESTRIAN, BICYCLE AND TRAFFIC SAFETY ISSUES

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland wishes to accept and appropriate a grant in the amount of \$220,000 from the California Business, Transportation and Housing Agency for the purpose of awarding Mini-Grants to Oakland Community Based Organizations (CBOs) focusing on pedestrian, bicycle and traffic safety issues; and

WHEREAS, the California Business, Transportation and Housing Agency has offered a grant of said amount to CEDA, Oakland Pedestrian Safety Project, based on the the merits of past performance for a similar Mini-Grant program; and

WHEREAS, the number of injuries and fatalities for pedestrians (especially seniors and children), bicyclists, drivers under the influence of alcohol and drugs, and aggressive drivers continues to be a serious public health issue in the City of Oakland; and

WHEREAS, given the amount awarded by the State, a fair and equal distribution of Mini-grants would be offered in two funding tiers: programmatic grants of \$5,000 to \$12,000, and materials-only grants of \$500 to \$4,999; and

WHEREAS, the Mini-Grant project shall not result in the loss of employment or salary by any person having permanent status in the competitive service; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City Manager is hereby authorized to accept and appropriate a grant of \$220,000 from the California Business, Transportation and Housing Agency; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Oakland Pedestrian Safety Project (CEDA) administer a Mini-Grant program to minimize pedestrian, bicycle and motor vehicle injuries and fatalities as well as encourage walking and biking in the City of Oakland; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That an independent Review Panel including representatives of Oakland's diverse communities, with general knowledge of related public health issues, as well as a representative from the Oakland Police Department and from the Alameda County Public Health Department, review all Mini-Grant proposals and select recipients for all Mini-Grants; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That City Council appropriates the \$220,000 in grant funds to Fund 2999 under a Project Number to be established.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JUL 29 2003, 2003

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BRUNNER, CHANG, NADEL, BROOKS, REID, QUAN, WAN, AND
PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE - 8

NOES- 0

ABSENT- 0

ABSTENTION- 0

ATTEST


CEDA FLOYD

City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
Of the City of Oakland, California