

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER NOEL GALLO

A RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING LUPE ELIZONDO'S WORK FOR OUR COMMUNITY FOR OVER FORTY YEARS AND EXTENDING OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO HER FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND COLLEAGUES

WHEREAS, Lupe worked at La Clinica for more than 40 years where she began as a clerk and became inspired to pursue a career as provider herself; and

WHEREAS, by 1980, Lupe worked as a medical assistant in pediatrics at the original Fruitvale site providing quality care to underrepresented families; and

WHEREAS, she went on to Stanford University to become a physician assistant and returned to La Clinica at the San Antonio site to continue to serve her community; and

WHEREAS, Lupe, who defined the role of clinic supervisor, was instrumental in planning and opening the new San Antonio site in 2007 as she was fearless in leading the practice into a new age; and

WHEREAS, Lupe was also known for her devotion to her family, friends, and colleagues, often encouraging them to pursuit their dreams and aspirations as she once did, especially her beloved daughter Alejandra; and

WHEREAS, few people personify La Clinica's ideas as Lupe did, she put her heart and soul into the San Antonio site and embodied the goal of providing quality and culturally appropriate care for all community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Oakland City Council recognizes Lupe Elizondo's lifetime of work for our community and the positive impact she has left behind as we honor her memory and extend our condolences to all her loved ones

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

- AYES -
- NOES -
- ABSENT -
- ABSTENTION -

ATTEST: _____

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