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Letter of Appointment

February 16, 2010

The Honorable City Council
One, Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Second Floor
Oakland, CA 94612

Dear President Brunner and members of the City Council:


Pursuant to City Charter section 601, the Mayor has appointed the following person(s) as member(s) of the following Board or Commission, subject to City Council confirmation:

Measure Z Community Oversight Committee

Jeff Baker, Mayoral appointment, recommended by the City Administrator to serve the term beginning August 1, 2009 and ending July 31, 2011, filling the seat formerly held by William Uber.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,


Ronald V. Dellums
Mayor

Jeff Baker

Employment Experience

Assistant to the City Administrator

May 2007 - Present

City of Oakland, Oakland, California. Responsible for management of the evaluation component of the \$200M Measure Y Violence Prevention and Public Safety Act Fund pursuant to the enabling Initiative. Duties include design of contractor selection protocol, hiring and subsequent supervision of independent evaluator. Programs evaluated include a litany of school-based, county-based and non-profit operated violence prevention programming as well as the hiring, deployment and tracking of neighborhood-based police officers supervised by the Oakland Police Department. Duties include design and implementation of data collection systems for program outcome analysis as well as negotiation of Memorandums of Understanding between the City, Oakland Unified School District, County of Alameda and the State Department of Corrections for human subject research data to ensure confidentiality and fidelity of outcome evaluation. Other responsibilities include Staff support to the Measure Y Oversight Committee, Community Policing Advisory Board, Measure Z Oversight Committee and the City Council Public Safety Committee.

Hearing Officer, May 2006- May 2007 Finance and Management Office, City of Oakland. Responsible for conducting hearings to ascertain validity of towed vehicle citations issued by Oakland Police Department. Independent contractor hired through Office of Finance and Management, assigned to Eastmont Police Department Substation. Duties included interviews with vehicle owners, research of police tow records, incident reports and application of California Vehicle Code to relevant facts. Responsible for scheduling hearing dates, conducting hearings and issuance of findings. Represented Finance and Management Office in Municipal Court on hearing appeals cases.

Senior Analyst

May 1996 – May 2006

Simone Consultant Services, Oakland, California. Senior Analyst to for-profit drug mitigation agency. Conducted extensive research on strategies to reduce the impact of street-level drug sales, drug use, violence and crime in urban communities. Organized and empowered neighbor-based groups to initiate nuisance abatement actions against absentee landlords, obtain restraining orders against individual street-level traffickers/alleged "gang" members and instructed residents how to expeditiously resolve challenging quality of life issues.

Senior Management Analyst

City of Berkeley, Berkeley, California.

September 1989- June 1996

Team Leader, Coordinated City Services Task Force. Provided comprehensive, coordinated delivery of services from nine City departments to implement community policing efforts. Liaison between City of Berkeley and over fifty neighborhood-based groups. Resolved hundreds of neighborhood complaints regarding drug trafficking,

substance use, blighted properties and violent crime. Responsible for ensuring parity of problem-solving skills of city-wide Neighborhood Watch Organizations. **Drug Mitigation Officer** to the Berkeley Housing Authority; investigated allegations of drug trafficking and substance use in Berkeley Housing Authority units; conducted eviction hearings and rendered findings. **Investigator**, Civilian Police Review Board. Conducted investigation of allegations of police officer misconduct. **Associate Management Analyst**, Department of Public Works, Facilities Division. Negotiated contracts for public safety equipment, including police/fire dispatch system and police/fire radios. Negotiated and managed Cable Television franchise contract, Pacific Bell telecommunications equipment and service contract. Chapter President, Member Negotiation Team, SEIU Local 535; Manager, Emergency Homeless Shelter.

Military Experience

United States Air Force, Administrative Specialist, E-3, August 1970 – April 1974
(Vietnam Veteran), Honorable Discharge

Education:

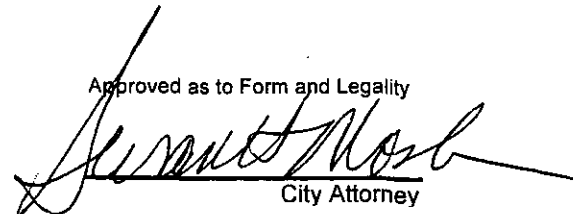
Hasting College of the Law, San Francisco, California, (Candidate for State Bar, 1991)
University of California, Berkeley, B.A., Political Science 1982

References Furnished Upon Request

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Approved as to Form and Legality


City Attorney

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

RESOLUTION APPOINTING JEFF BAKER AS A MEMBER OF THE MEASURE Z COMMUNITY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, TO OVERSEE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE OAKLAND CANNABIS REGULATION AND REVENUE ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, on November 2, 2004, the voters of the City of Oakland enacted the Oakland Cannabis Regulation and Revenue Ordinance, a voter initiative commonly referred to as Measure Z; and

WHEREAS, Measure Z makes the investigation, citation and arrest for private adult cannabis (marijuana) offenses (e.g. use distribution, sale, cultivation and possession of cannabis for medical and non-medical purposes) the City of Oakland's lowest law enforcement priority; and

WHEREAS, Measure Z also created an eleven member, advisory Community Oversight Committee (Ordinance No. 12694 C.M.S.), appointed to two year terms commencing with the first day of August 2005, to oversee the ordinance's implementation and provided that the committee shall include one community member appointed by each City Councilmember, one community member appointed by the Mayor, one representative appointed by the Oakland City Auditor and one representative appointed by the City Administrator; and

WHEREAS, the above referenced ordinance was amended by Ordinance No. 12958 C.M.S., on July 21, 2009 to stagger the appointment term of members, odd numbered Council Districts, Mayor, and City Administrator appointments shall be made in odd numbered years and even numbered City Council Districts, the At Large and City Auditor appointments shall be made in even years, and

WHEREAS, for the year beginning the first day of August 2009 only, members recommended by Councilmembers in Districts 2, 4, 6, At Large, and the representative from the City Auditor shall be appointed to a one (1) year term, providing they do not vacate their position or are not reappointed by their appointing authority; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That by the nomination of the Mayor, the following individuals are hereby appointed to the terms set forth below:

Jeff Baker, Mayoral appointment, recommended by the City Administrator to serve the term beginning August 1, 2009 and ending July 31, 2011, filling the seat formerly held by William Uber.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 2010

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