

David J. Parker

**IN APPRECIATION OF TOM VAN DEMARK
FOR HIS DEDICATED SERVICE**

WHEREAS, Tom Van Demark served as the manager of the Oakland Pedestrian Safety Project for three years during which OPSP became a nationally recognized program; and

WHEREAS, Tom Van Demark worked affectively in partnership with all departments of the City as well as other agencies and advocacy groups; and

WHEREAS, Tom Van Demark successfully organized several walk to school events; and

WHEREAS, Tom Van Demark has worked tirelessly to advocate the rights of all pedestrians, particularly children and seniors; and

WHEREAS, Tom Van Demark provided essential leadership that lead to the successful completion of the Revive Chinatown project; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the City Council expresses its appreciation to **Tom Van Demark** for his tireless dedication and service to the City of Oakland.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, DEC 7 2004, 20

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

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

NOES- *0*

ABSENT- *0*

ABSTENTION- *0*

ATTEST: *Ceda Floyd*
CEDA FLOYD
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California