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To: Rules Committee
Attn.: City Manager

Date: 11-06-03

From: Councilmember Jane Brunner
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CITY OF OAKLAND
MEMORANDUM

Subject: Request to Schedule Agenda Item

TITLE: A RESOLUTION DECLARING NOVEMBER, 2003 "NATIONAL DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH" IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND

Scheduling recommendation:

COMMITTEE _____

CITY COUNCIL REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

B. MEETING DATE: NOVEMBER 18, 2003

IS A STAFF REPORT REQUIRED/REQUESTED?
No

WHAT IS THE FISCAL/FINANCIAL IMPACT OF ITEM ON THE CITY/AGENCY?
NONE

PLEASE INDICATE WHY THE TWO-WEEK AGENDA DEADLINE CANNOT BE MET:

- Non-controversial and routine (i.e., ceremonial presentations)*
- Item referred for action by the City Council or _____ Committee*
- Item constitutes an emergency (CRIPPLING DISASTER, WORK STOPPAGE OR OTHER ACTIVITY WHICH SEVERELY IMPACTS PUBLIC HEALTH AND/OR SAFETY)*
- Item is time-sensitive and/or action is required to avoid substantial adverse fiscal impact*
- Item relates to state/federal legislation which requires the City to take a position in a timely manner*

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A SEPARATE REQUEST MUST BE COMPLETED FOR EACH ITEM FOR SCHEDULING. REQUESTS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 10 A.M. THE WEDNESDAY PRECEDING THE RELEVANT RULES & LEGISLATION COMMITTEE MEETING. ATTACH ANY SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION.

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

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INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER BRUNNER

A RESOLUTION DECLARING NOVEMBER, 2003 "NATIONAL DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH" IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND

WHEREAS diabetes is a chronic, genetically-determined, debilitating disease affecting every organ system and which now afflicts more than 17 million Americans; and

WHEREAS diabetes is the leading cause of adult blindness, kidney failure, and non-traumatic amputations, and a leading cause of nerve damage, as well as shortens the life expectancy of those who have it by 15 years; and

WHEREAS the cause and prevention of diabetes is still unknown and one American dies every three minutes from this insidious disease; and

WHEREAS the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation International (JDRF), the No. 1 nonprofit, nongovernmental funder of diabetes research worldwide has accelerated the pace of medical research and progress along the path to a cure; and

WHEREAS there is a great need for increased awareness of the warning signs of diabetes;
now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Oakland does hereby proclaim November as National Diabetes Awareness Month in Oakland and encourages its recognition by all its citizens.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, NOVEMBER 18, 2003

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

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

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

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