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RESOLUTION NO. C.M.S.

RESOLUTION TO OPPOSE THE PASSAGE OF SENATE BILL 1206: REDEVELOPMENT LAW REFORMS

WHEREAS, redevelopment is a powerful and necessary tool to address blighted conditions in redevelopment project areas in Oakland; and

WHEREAS, redevelopment supports affordable housing development, community and economic development activities in Oakland; and

WHEREAS, any changes to California Redevelopment Law could affect Oakland as well as other needy communities with similar needs; and

WHEREAS, the current version of Senate Bill 1206 authored by Senator Kehoe proposes major revisions to the statutory definition of blighted conditions to qualify for redevelopment that could impact Oakland's efforts, as well as limits the establishment of indebtedness to support redevelopment activities; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City of Oakland opposes the current version of Senate Bill 1206; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Council directs the City Administrator to continue to work with the California Redevelopment Association to advocate amendments to Senate Bill 1206 that are more supportive of current redevelopment activities in Oakland.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, APR 4 2006, 2006

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

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BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, AND PRESIDENT DE

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LATONDA SIMMONS

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