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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER NOEL GALLO

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING FIRST NEW JERUSALEM MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP IN EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOR THE CHILDREN AND FAMILIES OF OAKLAND

WHEREAS, the Oakland community is proud of the outstanding leadership and service that First New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church (MBC) has provided for District 5 and the entire community. First New Jerusalem MBC is to be commended for their work and utmost commitment to serving and assisting the homeless, the unemployed, those that are ill, the elderly, children and youth; and by reaching out with much love and servitude towards enhancing the quality of life of many; and

WHEREAS, The ministry of New Jerusalem MBC includes feeding the needy on Thanksgiving Day, distributing free clothing to individuals and families, providing activities for youth in the community, partnering with Oakland City Councilmember Noel Gallo for community endeavors to help beautify the city of Oakland communities; as well as many other services; and

WHEREAS, Under the ministerial leadership of Pastor Robert J. Holt Jr., New Jerusalem MBC is committed to providing relevant teaching, heart-felt worship, honest friendships, constant prayer, and compassionate care for those in need; and

WHEREAS, it is with great pleasure that we, the undersigned Oakland Council Members, recognize First New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church for their outstanding leadership in education and community development for the children and families of Oakland, for their exemplary ministerial leadership, positive guidance and inspirational motivation to its members, especially to youth; now, therefore, be it

City Attorney's Office

RESOLVED: That on behalf of the City of Oakland, we hereby commend First New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church and extend best wishes for the continuation of effective comprehensive programs of ministry to further enhance the quality of lives of Oakland residents.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 20_____

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, CAMPBELL WASHINGTON, GALLO, GIBSON MCELHANEY, GUILLEN, KALB, KAPLAN, AND REID

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST: _____

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