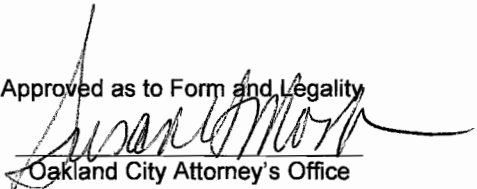


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Resolution No. 81768 C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, AND APPROPRIATE GRANT FUNDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$200,000) FROM THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION, HABITAT CONSERVATION FUND (HCF) TO IMPLEMENT INNOVATIVE VIOLENCE AND CRIME PREVENTION INITIATIVES TO INTRODUCE AND EXPOSE DISENGAGED TEENS TO ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP PROGRAMS

WHEREAS, the people of the State of California have enacted the California Wildlife Protection Act of 1990, which provides funds to the State of California for grants to local agencies to acquire, enhance, restore or develop facilities for public recreation and fish and wildlife habitat protection purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Parks and Recreation (OPR) seeks to leverage State funds to address public safety, violence and negative behaviors among Oakland youth and intends to introduce environmental stewardship and mentorship programs that will connect disengaged youth to their immediate surroundings and ecology; and

WHEREAS, OPR will utilize grant funds to provide an opportunity for inner-city youth and ex-offenders to gain expanded awareness and civic engagement by completing conservation projects that incorporate green sustainable practices, improve public habitat lands and open spaces; and

WHEREAS, the State Department of Parks and Recreation has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of the HCF Program, setting up necessary procedures governing Project Application under the HCF Program; and

WHEREAS, the procedures established by the State Department of Parks and Recreation require the Applicant to certify by resolution the approval of that Application(s) to the State; and

WHEREAS, the Applicant will enter into a contract with the State of California to complete the Projects(s); now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Administrator or his designee is authorized to apply for, accept, and appropriate grant funds in an amount not to exceed \$200,000 from the State of California,

Department of Parks and Recreation, Habitat Conservation Fund for the Office of Parks and Recreation; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Oakland, City Council approves the filing of an Application for the Habitat Conservation Fund Program; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council certifies that required matching funds are available in OPR's funding block: Department of Justice Fund (2112); Radical Roving Organization (505810); Recreation Program (NB03); and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council certifies that the Applicant has or will have sufficient funds to operate and maintain the Projects(s); and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council certifies that the Applicant shall prepare, with full public participation, a management plan for lands that have been acquired with HCF funds, which plan shall reasonably reduce possible conflicts with neighboring land use and landowners, including agriculturists; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council certifies that the Applicant has reviewed, understands, and agrees to the General Provisions contained in the Contract shown in the Procedural Guide; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council delegates the authority to the City Administrator or his designee to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents, including, but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, payment requests and so on, which may be necessary for the completion of the Project; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and guidelines; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Office of the City Attorney has approved this resolution as to form and legality and a copy will be on file in the Office of the City Clerk..

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JAN 20 2009

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

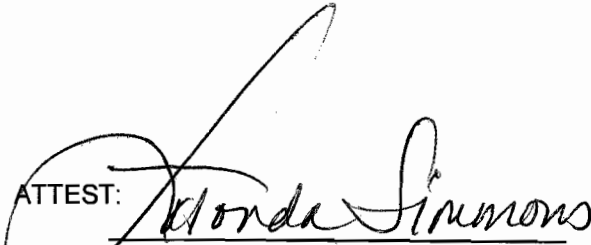
AYES - ~~BRISQ~~, BRUNNER, ^{Kaylan} ~~CHAVEZ~~, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, ~~REID~~, AND
PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE -6

NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - 0

Excused - Brooks, Reid - 2

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