

MISSING ORIGINAL LEGISLATION

Resolution / Ordinance Number: 83401

City Council Meeting Date 6-21-2011

Agenda Item No. 4.2

Recorded Vote 8 Ayes

Reason for Missing Legislation:

- Draft submitted in agenda packet, original never received
- Council amended legislation at the meeting

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Notes (if any)

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City Attorney

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

Introduced by Councilmember _____

**RESOLUTION CHANGING THE NAME OF THE CITY OF OAKLAND
BUSINESS ASSISTANCE CENTER TO THE "MICHAEL L. MCPHERSON
OAKLAND BUSINESS ASSISTANCE CENTER"**

WHEREAS, the City Council Rules and Procedures for naming facilities states that any individual or entity may initiate a proposal to name a public facility in the City of Oakland; and

WHEREAS, the City Council and the leadership of the Community and Economic Development Agency has proposed that the city rename the Oakland Business Assistance Center the Michael L. McPherson Oakland Business Assistance Center in honor of colleague, Michael L. McPherson; and

WHEREAS, Michael McPherson dedicated his life to the Oakland community, particularly to the Oakland and greater East Bay small business community; and

WHEREAS, Michael McPherson was a committed and enthusiastic City employee, since December 2007, who was instrumental in the establishment of, and management of, the Oakland Business Assistance Center; and

WHEREAS, Michael McPherson assisted the community as a staff member of OBDC, formerly the Oakland Business Development Corporation, for 25 years and ultimately became the Executive Director of OBDC for 15 years from May 1991 to August 2006; and

WHEREAS, Michael McPherson passed away on Tuesday, June 7, 2011 in Oakland; and

WHEREAS, the renaming of the Oakland Business Assistance Center would memorialize the contributions of Michael McPherson to the City of Oakland and to the East Bay small business community; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Oakland City Council hereby approves the renaming of the Oakland Business Assistance Center to the Michael L. McPherson Oakland Business Assistance Center.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 2011

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, BRUNNER, DE LA FUENTE, KAPLAN, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, SCHAAF and PRESIDENT REID

NOES -

ABSENT -

ABSTENTION -

ATTEST: _____

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