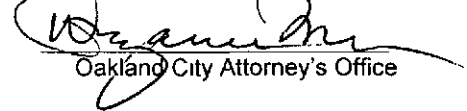


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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Resolution No. 85335 C.M.S.

**INTRODUCED BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT PATRICIA KERNIGHAN  
AND COUNCILMEMBER LYNETTE GIBSON MCELHANEY**

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### RESOLUTION COMMENDING CALIFORNIA WASTE SOLUTIONS

**WHEREAS**, California Waste Solutions, founded and led by David Duong, is Oakland's own unique, home grown solid waste collection and processing company that began in our city 22 years ago; and

**WHEREAS**, California Waste Solutions, that started from humble beginnings, has grown into a model, international company of which we are all proud; and

**WHEREAS**, California Waste Solutions has proven to have the capability and capacity to successfully compete with class and grace against the largest waste management company in the world; and

**WHEREAS**, California Waste Solutions was the winner in the City of Oakland's recent competition for award of a Zero Waste franchise, gaining near unanimous support from the City Council by offering the highest quality of service for the most reasonable price; and

**WHEREAS**, the City and California Waste Solutions worked diligently together to resolve remaining challenges of this complicated and rigorous process as well as overcome implementation roadblocks created by the loser of the competition; and

**WHEREAS**, California Waste Solutions took on the challenges with astute actions and cooperated fully with the City as Oakland worked hard to make sure that nothing interfered with continuing city-wide waste and recycling services on July 1; and

**WHEREAS**, working with California Waste Solutions, the City of Oakland affirmed a reasonable compromise that resulted in a co-branded collaboration that assures high quality waste and recycling services that are within budget beginning on time in July 2015; and

**WHEREAS**, the twenty-year franchise awarded to California Waste Solutions by the Oakland City Council on Tuesday November 18, 2015 will

assure that Oakland's own local waste handling company has a major role in our solid waste system for decades to come; and

**WHEREAS**, this franchise award assures that California Waste Solutions' share of the business is worth more than one billion dollars in revenue to California Waste Solutions over the twenty-year life of the contract; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**: That the City of Oakland commends California Waste Solutions for placing the interests of the City first, thus assuring the success of Zero Waste in Oakland; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That the City of Oakland thanks David Duong and California Waste Solutions for their wisdom, leadership and commitment to the citizens of Oakland.

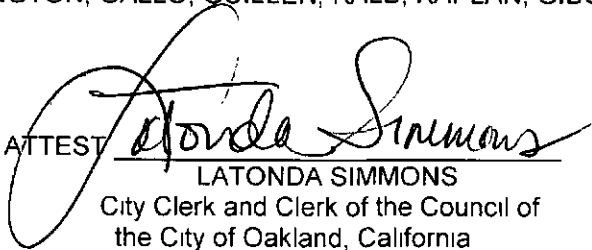
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IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,  
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE

AYES - BROOKS, CAMPBELL-WASHINGTON, GALLO, GUILLEN, KALB, KAPLAN, GIBSON  
MCELHANEY AND REID - 8

NOES - 0  
AYES - 0  
ABSTAIN - 0

ATTEST

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