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RESOLUTION NO. _____ C. M. S.

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**COMMENDING MARY A. FREEMAN
FOR MORE THAN 34 YEARS OF DEVOTED AND DEDICATED
SERVICE AND CONGRATULATING HER ON HER RETIREMENT**

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WHEREAS, Mary A. Freeman began her employment with the City of Oakland on March 7, 1970, and

WHEREAS, Mary A. Freeman held the position of Junior Typist Clerk in Library Services; Intermediate Clerk, Accounting Cashier, Senior Cashier, License Bureau Representative, License Bureau Coordinator and Revenue Operations Supervisor in the Finance and Management Agency, and

WHEREAS, Mary A. Freeman, during her tenure in the Finance Department, supervised the collection of the City's Dog Licenses, Parking Citations, Business Tax, Transient Occupancy Tax, Parking Tax and the Citywide Lien, and

WHEREAS, Mary A. Freeman's major accomplishments during her tenure in the Business Tax Section was her enhancement of the Business Tax Compliance Program and as a result revenues increased from \$1.5m to \$38.2m, and

WHEREAS, Mary A. Freeman, received numerous awards and certificates recognizing her skills and expertise in the field of collections, and

WHEREAS, Mary A. Freeman, throughout her years of service with the City, was dedicated to the doctrine of the City's Mission Statement rendering effective courteous and responsive service, treating citizens and employees with fairness, dignity and respect and constantly pursuing excellence and development of a workforce that values and reflects the diversity of the Oakland community, and

WHEREAS, Mary A. Freeman has earned the respect and admiration of her colleagues and associates and will truly be missed by all of them, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council hereby expresses appreciation and commends Mary A. Freeman on behalf of the citizens of Oakland for her many contributions to the City; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution suitably inscribed be given to Mary A. Freeman in appreciation of her dedicated service and with best wishes on her retirement.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA _____

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: BRUNNER, CHANG, DE LA FUENTE, BROOKS, NADEL, REID, WAN AND QUAN

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTENTION: