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Office of the Mayor
Honorable Ronald V. Dellums
Mayor

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Letter of Nomination

March 18, 2008

The Honorable City Council
One City Hall Plaza, Second Floor
Oakland, CA 94612

Dear Council Members:

Upon nomination of the Mayor, the following persons are hereby appointed as members of the following Board or Commission:

Oakland Housing Authority

Esther Pruvis, Mayoral appointment to complete the term beginning July 1, 2006 and ending June 30, 2008 filling the seat previously held by Donneka L. Webster.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ronald V. Dellums".

Ronald V. Dellums
Mayor

Date: December 27, 2006

Esther "Eve" Purvis

Career Objective: To work for an institution or organization that rewards talent, growth and development for the people/clients that we represent, thus, empowering it's employees.

EDUCATION:

Date	Discipline	Degree	Institution
1999	General Studies	A.A.	Weber State U
2000	*Voc. Teacher Ed	B.S.	Idaho State U
2000	*Corporate Training	B.S.	Idaho State U
2003	Educational Lit/ID	M.E.d	Idaho State U

*Denotes Double Degree

Research Fellowships

Dates	Field of Research	Place
2000-03	WICHE Doctoral Fellow Education	Idaho State U

LICENSE AND CERTIFICATION:

Date	Type of license or certification
1989	U.S Department of Defense Certification in Financial Mgt
1990	U.S. Department of Defense Records and Data Mgt
2006-2007	State of California Teaching Certification and Credentialing: Pending

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Dates	Title	Department	Institution
1998	Diversity Leader	Student Svcs	Weber State U
1999	Veterans Ed Asst.	V.A.Student Svc	Weber State U
2001	WICHE Doc Fellow	Teacher Ed	Idaho State U
2002	Teacher of the Yr	Provost Dept.	Idaho State U

HONORS AND DISTINCTIONS (Year and name of award):

Outstanding Student Leadership	1989
Outstanding Airman of the Year	1990
TRW Technology Scholar Award	1999
Who's Who of Students	1999-2000
WICHE Doctoral Fellow Awd	2000-2003

MAJOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

National Service	Date(s)
United States Air Force	August 1989-1990
International Service	Date(s)
National Defense Medal	USAF 1989-1992
National Defense Medal	USAF 1990-1992
Support of Operation Desert Storm/Shield	

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

Compact for Faculty Diversity 2000-2003
Full-bright Member, 2000-2003
ASTD Member 2000-2003
AOM Member, 1998-2003

OTHER PUBLIC SERVICE:

Head Start, Vice President of Board 1996-1997
Ogden, Utah. Head Start, Treasurer, 1997-1998
Community Organizer, Sigma Gamma Rho 1997-2003
Girls Scouts of Silver Sage, Idaho--Life Time Member
Association of Community Reform Now, Education Board
2005-Present
Veteran's Outreach, Salt Lake City Utah, 1996-1999

MAJOR ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES (Title and place of responsibility) BUSINESS EXPERIENCE:

Financial Management, USAF

Responsible for budget totaling over \$20 million dollars for operation and maintenance for 3rd Air Force Command (United Kingdom), in disbursements, reconciliation's; daily, monthly, quarterly and yearly. Resource management for budget analysis for base and for base contracting and procurement as per G.A.O. and OMB procedures.

Housing Authority of the County of Salt Lake
Accountant

Responsible for managing several grants as well as operations and maintenance, services, supplies for public housing units, as well as HUD Section 8 Tenant disbursements. Responsible for managing budget totaling over 9 million dollars.

Girls Scouts of Silver Sage, Boise Idaho
Adult Development Specialist

Responsible for maintaining and development of training for existing Girl Scout Leaders and new and incoming leaders, staff development training for the South Eastern Region of Idaho. Responsible for providing over 20-25 training sessions throughout the year, teaching in continuing education courses, advising responsibilities and leadership roles. Keeping morale and using training as a source of retention for membership retention and development. Insuring Bi-lingual instruction and infrastructure for Bi-lingual training of parents and leaders. Instrumental in introducing project based learning to allow for adult continuation credits through the Idaho State Department of Adult Education, as a source of retention and development of members throughout South East Region of Idaho.

MAJOR RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Minorities in Technical and Higher Education, Instructional Technology and Educational Literacy and Development.

RESEARCH SUPPORT :

Masters Thesis in Educational Literacy with an emphasis in Instructional Technology (see transcript): Instructional Technology Design Integration and Diverse Learning Populations

Past Funding (last 10 years):		Year(s)	Funding
Source	Grant Title		
U.S. Dept. of Ed	Head Start	1995-1998	
Private Fund Raising	Sole for Souls	2000-2002	
California Endowment	ACORN Community Health Education Fair 2006	2005-2006	

Current Funding:	Year(s)	Funding Source
U.S. Dept. of Ed	Start Family Literacy	

Pending:2006-2007

TEACHING EXPERIENCE *

Date	Title	Institution	Experience
1989	Student Leader	U.S.A.F	Development
1992	Information Mgr.	U.S.A.F.	Info Mgt
98-2000	CIS Dept.-Intern	Idaho St U	Teaching Asst.
2002-03	Education Intern	Idaho St U	Literacy Dev

Distinguish Experience,

Student Leader and student development for over 1200 students in the United States Air Force 3762 ATC Squadron Air Training Command. Idaho State University, Computer Information Systems Intern for the the CIS Department of the University: Teaching assistant in the Introduction to Computer Science Coursework from 1998-2000. Faculty website/ syllabis development and Webct infrastructure support to students and staff. Diversity conference leader, 2000, at Idaho State University. Support and research assistant to the department of Education, in conjunction with doctoral cohorts and student research and development from 2000-2001.

Adult Course developer for Girls Scouts of Silver Sage , Course director, and course participant; of Girl Scouts of Silver Sage lecturer, conference leader. Teaching in continuing education courses, advising responsibilities and leadership roles.

Idaho State University Literacy Assessment Clinic, As a graduate Intern, Assessed literacy development and testing to develop learning portfolios for students with learning disabilities.

References

Ms. Verna Owen Brooks, Community Philanthropist, Realtor and Educator, (707)580-3780

Anthony Panarese, Director of ACORN-Oakland, CA 510-434-3113

Mr. Faanu Laufiso (801) 538-3818, flaufiso@utah.gov

Rashna Owens, Poet and Community Activist-510-677-8398

Dr. Paul Tate, Idaho State University, 208-282-2150

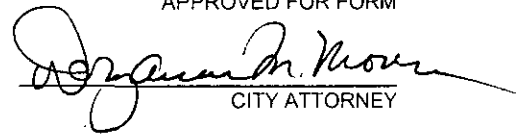
Dr. Corey Schou, Idaho State University, 208-282-0211

Dr. Robert Phersson, ISU-Professor Emeritus, Oregon State University, College of Education, 311 Education Hall, Corvallis, Oregon 97331.

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CITY ATTORNEY

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

RESOLUTION APPOINTING ESTHER PRUVIS AS A MEMBER OF THE OAKLAND HOUSING AUTHORITY BOARD

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 6341 C.M.S. pursuant to the California Health and safety Code, which authorizes the City of Oakland to declare the need for a housing authority by adopting such a resolution and authorizes the Mayor, subject to confirmation of a majority of the members of the governing body to appoint five commissioners for the terms of four years and two additional tenant commissioners for the terms of two years; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 6341 C.M.S. specifies that Oakland Housing Authority Board of Commissioners shall consists of seven members, five of which members are to serve four year terms, which are to be staggered so that some appointments will expire every year, and appointments to fill a term of office are only to be for the remainder of that term, and two of which are to be tenants commissioner, one shall be over 62 years of age if the authority has tenants of such age; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that by the nomination of the Mayor, the following individuals are hereby reappointed to the terms set forth below:

Esther Pruvis, Mayoral appointment to complete the term beginning July 1, 2006 and ending June 30, 2008 filling the seat previously held by Donneka L. Webster.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BRUNNER, BROOKS, CHANG, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, AND PRESIDENT
DE LA FUENTE

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST:

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