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Letter of Nomination

July 3, 2007

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:

Commission on Aging

Eileen Abrams, Mayoral appointment to serve the term beginning September 2, 2006 and ending September 1, 2009 filling the seat previously held by Ronald P. Tipson.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,
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Ronald V. Dellums

Mayor

Oakland Boards and Commissions
Office of the City Clerk
1 Frank Ogawa Plaza, Second Floor
Oakland, CA 94612

Greetings,

I am writing to apply for membership with the City of Oakland's Committee on Aging.

I've resided in Oakland since 1982, and feel a strong connection to the city. Over the years, besides operating my own small business, I've also been involved in much community-building and volunteer work. This year I'll complete my second term as President of the Oakland chapter of the Lions' Club, which provides support to the Oakland Blind Centre, and coordinates an eyglass donation program. In 2005 I sat on the board of the Lend-A-Hand foundation.

I've worked with people who have Hepatitis-C, and for six years I ran a support group which met at Kaiser Permanente Hospital.

As a woman in her sixties, I'm interested in the many issues surrounding aging. I've seen the results of elder abuse both within my own family and those close to me. On the positive side, I know how much seniors have to offer in terms of knowledge and experience.

I feel I have much to contribute to the Commission and will bring to the table my positive attitude, enthusiasm, curiosity and compassion.

I look forward to learning more about the activities and goals of the Committee on Aging, and I look forward to the opportunity to become an active member.

Sincerely.

Eileen Abrams

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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.

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RESOLUTION APPOINTING EILEEN ABRAMS AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION ON AGING

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 9921 C.M.S. creates the Commission on Aging, whose members are nominated by the Mayor and approved by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 11773 C.M.S. specifies that members of the Commission on Aging are to serve three 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; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that by the nomination of the Mayor, the following individual is hereby appointed to the term set forth below:

Eileen Abrams, to complete the term beginning September 2, 2006 and ending September 1, 2009, filling the seat formerly held by Ronald P. Timpson.

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

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BRUNNER, NADEL, QUAN, BROOKS, REID, CHANG, AND

PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

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