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Oakland City Attorney's Office

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 81551 C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY City Auditor Courtney Ruby, Council President Ignacio De La Fuente,
and Councilmember Pat Kernighan

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR,
ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF OAKLAND, TO APPROPRIATE
TO THE OFFICE OF THE CITY AUDITOR \$250,000 IN FISCAL
YEAR 2008-2009 AND \$250,000 IN FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
IN GENERAL PURPOSE FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF
FUNDING ADMINISTRATION OF THE CITY AUDITOR'S
WHISTLEBLOWER PROGRAM**

Whereas, the City Auditor maintains a Whistleblower Program for the purpose of receiving individual complaints concerning the quality and delivery of government services, wasteful and inefficient City government practices, misuse of City funds, and improper activities by City officers and employees; and

Whereas, the City of Oakland has an interest in protecting the integrity of the City Auditor's Whistleblower Program; and

Whereas, the Office of the City Auditor presently lacks sufficient resources to administer the Whistleblower Program; and

Whereas, the Office of the City Auditor desires additional funding in the amount of \$250,000 in fiscal year 2008-2009 and \$250,000 in fiscal year 2009-2010 to establish a whistleblower hotline, investigate whistleblower tips and to process complaints of retaliation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: that the City Administrator, on behalf of the City of Oakland, is hereby authorized to appropriate to the Office of the City Auditor \$250,000 in fiscal year 2008-2009 and \$250,000 in fiscal year 2009-2010 in general purpose funds for the purpose of funding the administration of the City Auditor's Whistleblower Program.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, SEP 16 2008


PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - ~~Brooks~~, BRUNNER, CHANG, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, AND
PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE - 7

NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - Brooks - 1

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