

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 77757C.M.S.

Goodwin

A RESOLUTION CELEBRATING SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 2003 AS EARTH DAY IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND

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WHEREAS, the City of Oakland and its citizens respect, appreciate and work to improve our local environment; and

WHEREAS, through community involvement, beautification activities, litter prevention, waste reduction, and the beautification of public places like parks, schools, neighborhoods, creeks, downtown, roadways and Oakland waterfronts; and

WHEREAS, thousands of community volunteers work diligently with city crews to clean and beautify many sites in Oakland each Earth Day and throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, the theme for this years Earth Day event is Keep Oakland Beautiful; and

WHEREAS, through its many programs, services and public activities, the City of Oakland and the Public Works Agency work to promote energy conservation, recycling, composting, neighborhood clean-ups, plantings and other activities to help protect and beautify our local environment; and

WHEREAS, the Environmental Expo is held on April 16 during the week of Earth Day to inform the public about fuel economy vehicles, garden clubs, master composters, and to educate through games and hands-on activities; and

WHEREAS, this year marks the 33rd Anniversary of the National Celebration of Earth Day; and

WHEREAS, this is the 9th Annual beautification event honoring Earth Day in Oakland; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City of Oakland does hereby proclaim April 19, 2003 as Earth Day in the City of Oakland.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, APR 15 2003, 20

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- ~~BROOKS~~, BRUNNER, ~~CHANG~~, NADEL, QUAN, REID, WAN and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE -6

NOES-
Excused
ABSENT-
ABSTENTION-

Chang, Brooks -2

ATTEST: *Ceda Floyd*
CEDA FLOYD

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