OFFICE OF THE CITY OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESIGNATION NO._

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C.M.S.

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

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE, U.S. FOREST SERVICE, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA – BERKELEY, EAST BAY REGIONAL PARK DISTRICT FOR REVIEW OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT FOR HAZARDOUS FUELS RISK REDUCTION IN THE EAST BAY HILLS

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland Wildfire Prevention Assessment District (WPAD) was established on January 20, 2004 under the authority of the Oakland Fire Suppression. Prevention and Preparedness District Ordinance of 2003 (ordinance no. 12556 C.M.S.0); and

WHEREAS, the City requires the Fire Department to conduct a vegetation management strategy to address hazardous fuels conditions on public and private properties within the district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency has made the determination that a environmental impact review is required to assess the overall environmental impacts of the wildfire hazard reduction projects in the East Bay Hills: and

WHEREAS, the provisions of the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) and the Memorandum of Understanding for the Hazardous Fuels Reduction, East Bay Hills are consistent with these goals; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council approves and authorizes the City Administrator or his designee to enter into an intergovernmental Memorandum of Understanding for environmental coordination and review with the Department of Homeland Security Federal Emergency Management Agency, California Emergency Management Agency, U.S. fish and Wildlife Service, National Park Service, U.S. Forest Service, University of California - Berkeley, East Bay Regional Park District regarding review of an environmental impact statement for hazardous fuels risk reduction in the East Bay hills, and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Council authorizes the City Administrator or his designee to conduct the appropriate environmental review for the East Bay Hills EIS and the Oakland Wildfire Prevention Assessment District to address the requirements as defined in the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

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