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RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

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Introduced by President Pro Tem Reid
President McElhaney Gibson

RESOLUTION HONORING MS. SAUNDRA ANDREWS FOR MORE THAN 20 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE WITH CONGRESSWOMAN BARBARA LEE UPON HER RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, Ms. Saundra Andrews began her career as a volunteer with the Office of Congresswoman Barbara Lee (while a member of the California State Senate) then, ultimately remained as a key staff member in 1998, upon Congresswoman Barbara Lee's tenure, and;

WHEREAS, Ms. Saundra Andrews, has directly represented Congresswoman Barbara Lee at numerous events, while coordinating and executing strategic outreach plans, and, performed constituent casework and countless special projects, and;

WHEREAS, Ms. Saundra Andrews, served as a key facilitator of many events over the years including, the National Prayer Breakfast, the Martin Luther King Jr. Freedom Center Lecture Series, the China Study Group, My Brother's Keeper, and the Civil Rights Pilgrimage, while overseeing the Congressional Black Caucus' Scholarship and Internship Program, and;

WHEREAS, Ms. Saundra Andrews, worked closely with constituents and local organizations on several issues, some of which include; labor, the faith community, the pre-K through twelfth grade education programs, as well as issues relating to Africa, and the Caribbean, and;

WHEREAS, Ms. Saundra has worked closely with many community groups, including the East Oakland Youth Development Center, and the Black Women Organized for Political Action.; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Saundra Andrews has been a part of Team Lee since Congresswoman Barbara Lee has served in the California Legislature, and has served constituents with distinction and sensitivity, to their daily problems, so therefore be it:

RESOLVED: That the City of Oakland honors and commends Ms. Saundra Andrews for over 20 years of exceptional service to the residents of California's 13th Congressional District, and be it:

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City of Oakland thanks Ms. Saundra Andrews for her dedication and contributions to the City of Oakland, and wishes her happiness, success and fulfillment upon her retirement.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, CAMPBELL-WASHINGTON, GALLO, GIBSON MCELHANEY, GUILLEN, KALB, KAPLAN, AND REID

NOES -

ABSENT -

ABSTENTION -

ATTEST: _____

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