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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 904012 C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY MAYOR SHENG THAO

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**RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S REAPPOINTMENT OF HANIEL KEBEDE, CALUPE KAUFUSI, QUINCY RUSSELL, KATIE LIANG, ANA XU LI, MICHELLE WONG, STEVE NGUYEN, BRYCE HUNT, OLIVIA RICHARDSON FELDMAN, NATHAN YUHENG LI, AND AMBER JOHNSON, AND APPOINTMENT OF ASHLEY TCHANYOUM, EDAMEYOH AJAYI, ELLA KILLINGSWORTH, TENGIS TUMUR, KASEN NAIK, DIEGO GARCIA, AND SOFIA CASTRO AS MEMBERS OF THE OAKLAND YOUTH COMMISSION**

**WHEREAS**, Section 601 of the City Charter provides that members of City boards and commissions shall be appointed by the Mayor subject to confirmation by the affirmative vote of five members of the City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, the Youth Advisory Commission was created by Ordinance No. 10545 C.M.S., adopted February 5, 1985, amended by Ordinance No. 11461, passed June 23, 1992, amended by Ordinance No. 11869, passed March 12, 1996, and amended by Ordinance No. 13690, passed May 17, 2022, which changed the name from the "Youth Advisory Commission" to the "Oakland Youth Commission"; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oakland Youth Commission is now comprised of seventeen (17) to twenty-five (25) youth members from the ages of 13 to 21, appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council, one to represent each Council District and the remaining members to serve as at-large members, with all appointments being for a period of two years, with a limit of two consecutive terms; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of the Youth Advisory Commission is to identify the needs of youth of the community from the ages of 13 to 21, thereby creating citizen awareness of such needs and serving as the policy recommending body for civic/education-related matters within the jurisdiction of the City of Oakland in which youth have an interest; and

**WHEREAS**, the Honorable Mayor Sheng Thao has reappointed Haniel Kebede, Calupe Kaufusi, Quincy Russell, Katie Liang, Ana Xu Li, Michelle Wong, Steve Nguyen, Bryce Hunt, Olivia Richardson Feldman, Nathan YuHeng Li, and Amber Johnson to the Oakland Youth Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the Honorable Mayor Sheng Thao has appointed Ashley Tchanyoum, Edameyoh Ajayi, Ella Killingsworth, Tengis Tumur, Kasen Naik, Diego Garcia, and Sofia Castro to the Oakland Youth Commission for the terms set forth below; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That pursuant to City Charter section 601, the City Council hereby confirms the following appointments to the Oakland Youth Commission:

**Haniel Kebede**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as a District 1 Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by Sarah Turley; and

**Kasen Naik**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as a District 2 Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by Calupe Kaufusi; and

**Quincy Russell**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as a District 3 Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by himself; and

**Edameyoh Ajayi**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as a District 4 Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by Anohki Mehta; and

**Katie Liang**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as a District 5 Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by herself; and

**Amber Johnson**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as a District 6 Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by herself; and

**Ella Killingsworth**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as a District 7 Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by Brian Ibarra Morales; and

**Ana Xu Li**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by herself; and

**Calupe Kaufusi**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by Areli Chavez; and

**Steve Nguyen**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by himself; and

**Michelle Wong**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by herself; and

**Ashley Tchanyoum**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by Haniel Kebede; and

**Olivia Richardson Feldman**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by herself; and

**Bryce Hunt**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by herself; and

**Nathan YuHeng Li**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by himself; and

**Tengis Tumur**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the seat previously held by Sophia Hesseltine; and

**Sofia Castro**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the vacant seat previously held by Gloria Guzman; and

**Diego Garcia**, Mayoral appointment to serve a two-year term as an At-Large Commissioner that began July 1, 2024 and will end June 30, 2026, filling the vacant seat previously held by John Noel.

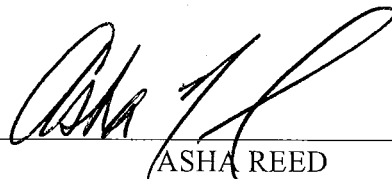
IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE: SEP 17 2024

AYES - FIFE, GALLO, JENKINS, KALB, KAPLAN, RAMACHANDRAN, REID, AND  
PRESIDENT FORTUNATO BAS - 8 Ayes

NOES - 0  
ABSENT - 0  
ABSTENTION - 0

ATTEST:

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