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RESOLUTION No. C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER HENRY CHANG, JR.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT OF \$10,000.00 FROM COUNCILMEMBER HENRY CHANG'S PAY-GO FUNDS TO OAKLAND PARENTS LITERACY PROJECT (OPLP) FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR FAMILY READING NIGHT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Councilmember Henry Chang, Jr. wishes to grant a portion of his Pay-Go funds to Oakland Parents Literacy Project for operating expenses for its Family Reading Night events at Oakland Unified School District schools; and

WHEREAS, Oakland Parents Literacy Project (OPLP) is a non-profit, community-based organization that promotes student and family literacy within the Oakland Unified School District, bringing together children, parents, teachers and students, and the Family Reading Nights Program stresses the importance of reading as a family and improving academic performance; and

WHEREAS, the Family Reading Night Program complements the school district's increased focus on reading and literacy as a means of rebuilding the public school system and creates opportunities in Oakland for families to spend time celebrating literacy by reading to each other, performing original poetry and storytelling by community guest leaders; and

WHEREAS, The City will require Oakland Parents Literacy Project to provide documentation for use of the Councilmember's Pay-Go funds; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council authorizes the grant of \$10,000.00 from Councilmember Henry Chang, Jr.'s Pay-Go funds to Oakland Parents Literacy Project (OPLP) for operating expenses for its Family Reading Night Program; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Administrator is authorized to execute an appropriate grant agreement with Oakland Parents Literacy Project for the purposes of the grant, subject to approval as to form and legality by the City Attorney.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 20_____

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, NADEL, REID, QUAN, KERNIGHAN and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

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