

MISSING ORIGINAL LEGISLATION

Resolution / Ordinance Number: 8 2 8 0 9
City Council Meeting Date June 1, 2010
Agenda Item No. 10
Recorded Vote 7 AYES, 1 Abstain -Reid

Reason for Missing Legislation:

- Draft submitted in agenda packet, original never received
- Council amended legislation at the meeting

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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

2010 MAY 27 PM 6:17 RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER JEAN QUAN

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING SB 1205 (CORBETT) ESTABLISHING THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA DISASTER RECOVERY PLANNING COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the nine counties surrounding San Francisco Bay constitute a region of vital importance to the national economy and future business innovation, and

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is crisscrossed by many active faults, including the San Andreas and Hayward faults, that are capable of causing a major disaster in the region, and are at high risk of doing so within in the next 30 years, and

WHEREAS, while Oakland and other cities in the Bay Area have been focused on risk mitigation strategies and emergency response preparation, there has been little attention given to the lengthy post-90 day, long-term recovery period that will follow a major disaster such as an earthquake. This is the period that will make or break the region's economic future, and

WHEREAS, past disasters in the Bay Area, California, the United States and abroad clearly show the consequences of not planning for recovery—it can take decades for cities and the surrounding region to recover following a major disaster, and

WHEREAS, adequate planning for the weeks, months and years after immediate life and safety needs have been addressed will determine whether the San Francisco Bay Area recovers and persists as a vibrant community and driver of the nation's prosperity, or whether the region suffers long-term depopulation with businesses and residents permanently relocating to more stable communities, and

WHEREAS, the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG) is a unique regional entity, well-suited to lead this effort. Formed as a Council of Governments by the 101 cities and nine counties of the Bay Area, ABAG facilitates and strengthens operation and coordination among local governments to address social, environmental and economic issues that transcend local borders, and now, therefore be it

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RESOLVED, the Oakland City Council supports SB 1205 (Corbett), which would create the San Francisco Bay Area Disaster Recovery Planning Council as a regional entity to facilitate long-term disaster recovery planning for the San Francisco Bay Area. The Council, led by the ABAG Regional Planning Committee, will sponsor and review local actions to improve preparation for long-term recovery, including guidelines for member cities, counties and agencies to align finance department preparation, building ordinances, emergency housing strategies, non-emergency response, mutual aid agreements and a variety of additional tasks, along with information gathering, plan consolidation, application for resources and policy discussion, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Administrator and the City's state lobbyist are directed to advocate for the City's position on SB 1205 to the State Legislature.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 20_____

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

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

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

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

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