## **OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL**

RESOLUTION NO. 82706 C.M.S.

Introduced by Councilmember Nancy J. Nadel

## A RESOLUTION CELEBRATING THE WEEK OF MAY $16^{\mathrm{TH}}$ THROUGH MAY $22^{\mathrm{ND}}$ AS PUBLIC WORKS WEEK IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND

WHEREAS, the Public Works Agency provides services that are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives – where the health, safety and comfort of our great city depends on the efficient and reliable operations of sewers, streets, storm drains, public facilities and parks; and

WHEREAS, Public Works Agency employees preserve City streets and sidewalk; fill pot holes; sweep City streets; clean sewers and storm drain inlets; maintain traffic signals and street lights, traffic signs and markings; abate graffiti; preserve City facilities; service City's fleet and major equipment; maintain City parks, grounds, medians and public right of way; manage City's recycling and solid waste disposal; and lead Oakland's "Green City" and sustainability efforts, and

WHEREAS, the Oakland Public Works Agency is committed to improve its relationships, customer service and to develop stronger community linkages; and

WHEREAS, May 16 - 22, 2010, the American Public Works Association celebrates National Public Works Week throughout the country, with this year's national theme as "Public Works, Above, Below, & All Around You"; and

WHEREAS, during the week of recognition and celebration, equipment displays will be set up throughout the City, including the lobbies of City buildings in downtown Oakland, to proudly represent Public Works employees doing what they do best; along with an Employee Recognition event honoring our Agency's best and brightest; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That the Oakland City Council does hereby proclaim the week of May 16 - 22, 2010, as Public Works Week in the City of Oakland and encourage all citizens to recognize and commend the Public Works Agency for their vital work.

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