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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 78516 C.M.S.

A REPORT AND RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE A GRANT FOR NINE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY NINE DOLLARS AND THIRTY CENTS (\$9,689.30) FOR FISCAL YEAR DECEMBER 4, 2003 TO DECEMBER 5, 2004 FROM THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA) AND THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA GO SERV GRANT FOR COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT) ENHANCEMENT, AWARDED AND ADMINISTERED BY THE ALAMEDA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT, OPERATIONAL AREA TO THE OAKLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES (OES) FOR THE CITY OF OAKLAND'S CITIZENS OF OAKLAND RESPOND TO EMERGENCIES (CORE) PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland and the City Council are committed to improving community emergency preparedness by providing citizens with the training and skills to sustain themselves and assist family members, neighbors, coworkers and others until emergency personnel arrive; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Homeland Security, through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) established a Citizen Corps grant program to assist individual states with the development of Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) programs; and

WHEREAS, the State of California developed the GO SERV Program and allowed jurisdictions to tailor Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Programs to meet the specific needs of their community; and

WHEREAS, the Alameda County Sheriff's Department, Operational Area is awarding and administering the grant to Alameda County jurisdictions for their local Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) programs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland's Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program is called the Citizens of Oakland Respond to Emergencies (CORE) program; and

WHEREAS, the Oakland Fire Department, Office of Emergency Services has been awarded a grant of \$9,689.30 for the purpose of updating and redesigning the CORE website, printing the CORE 1 and CORE 2 manuals into Chinese, and purchasing equipment and supplies to provide advanced emergency preparedness and response training to CORE members; and

WHEREAS, the grant does not impact the City's General Fund and does not require matching funds from the City; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: that the City Council hereby authorizes the City Administrator to accept and appropriate the Federal Emergency Management Agency\State of California GO SERV grant in the amount of \$9,689.30, to the Oakland Fire Department, Office of Emergency Services, Federal Emergency Management Agency Fund 2124, Organization 20711, Project number to be assigned.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND CALIFORNIA, MAY 4 2004 , 2004

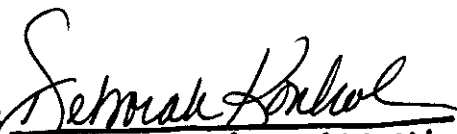
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, NADEL, QOAN, WAN, REID, AND
PRESIDENT DELA FUENTE - 8

NOES: 0

ABSENT: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

ATTEST: 
CEDRA FLOYD, CITY CLERK
AND CLERK OF THE COUNCIL