

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN FUSE CORPS AND THE CITY OF OAKLAND TO SPONSOR AND SUPPORT EQUITABLE RECOVERY FUSE FELLOWSHIPS TO MULTIPLE CITY DEPARTMENTS

WHEREAS, FUSE Corps is a nonprofit organization that partners with local government to help urban communities thrive; and

WHEREAS, FUSE Corps specializes in recruiting, training and placing a highly-experienced executive-level professional in government agencies to deliver on high impact projects over 12-month terms; and

WHEREAS, the City Administrator's Office (CAO), in partnership with multiple departments, identified eight (8) high-impact projects to advance an equitable recovery in Oakland, including implementation of Oakland's Economic Development Strategy, Oakland's 2030 Equitable Climate Action Plan, closing the digital divide and establishing a city-wide strategic performance management system; and

WHEREAS, FUSE Corps has secured philanthropic funds to support the implementation of up to eight (8) projects by assigning FUSE fellows to multiple City departments; and

WHEREAS, on December 15, 2020, the Oakland City Council passed Resolution No. 88457 C.M.S., which authorized the City Administrator to accept a gift of in-kind services valued up to one million, four hundred thousand and forty thousand dollars (\$1,440,000) from FUSE Corps to host up to eight (8) executive-level fellows in multiple city departments to support equitable recovery projects; and negotiate and execute an agreement between FUSE Corps and the City Of Oakland; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 88457 C.M.S. requires that the proposed agreement between the City and FUSE Corps be brought back to Council for consideration and approval prior to execution; and

WHEREAS, staff now seeks Council's approval of the proposed agreement attached hereto as Exhibit A; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That City Council hereby approves and authorizes the agreement between the City of Oakland and FUSE Corps, attached hereto as Exhibit A; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That prior to execution, the agreement shall be reviewed and approved as to form and legality by the City Attorney and executed copies of the agreement shall be filed with the City Clerk.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - FIFE, GALLO, KALB, KAPLAN, REID, TAYLOR, THAO AND PRESIDENT
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NOES –

ABSENT –

ABSTENTION –

ATTEST: _____
Asha Reed
Acting City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California

