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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. 79048

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## A RESOLUTION HONORING RAE MARY FOR FOURTEEN YEARS OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO THE CITIZENS OF OAKLAND AND CONGRATULATING HER ON HER RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, Oakland is a City of great diversity and has thrived with the vision and leadership of cherished individuals who have earned the respect of their staff, colleagues, and community as they continue to enrich and further motivate and inspire others towards excellence; and

WHEREAS, Rae Mary has devoted fourteen (14) years of employment as an admirable and beloved manager in service to the City of Oakland's Department of Human Services and the Community and Economic Development Agency; and

WHEREAS, Rae Mary has demonstrated her outstanding abilities to work collaboratively and tirelessly to provide decent, safe, and affordable housing with life-enhancing services for all the citizens of Oakland; and

WHERAS, Rae Mary has demonstrated her remarkable supervisory skills in the institution and financing of housing development projects, working with neighborhoods, women's organizations, nonprofits, and private developers in a team approach to create housing; and

WHEREAS, Rae Mary has brought to fruition innovative programs as the Manager of the City of Oakland's Community Housing Services Division aimed at eliminating hunger and homelessness; and

WHEREAS, Rae Mary retires and leaves the City of Oakland to pursue even more challenging ventures in her life, she unequivocally leaves a void in the hearts and memories of those who worked beside her toward results that were great and successful feats and accomplishments; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Council hereby expresses appreciation and commends Rae Mary on behalf of the citizens of Oakland for her many contributions to the City; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of this res Rae Mary as an appreciation for her dedicated serv FEB	olution suitably inscribed be given to ice and with best wishes on her retirement.
IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,	
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
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LATONDA SIMMONS
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California