

## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

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City Attorney

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RESOLUTION NO. 82376 C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE AND APPROPRIATION OF GRANT FUNDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED FIVE HUNDRED EIGHTY-TWO THOUSAND EIGHTY-EIGHT DOLLARS (\$582,088) FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF JUSTICE (USDOJ/NIJ) FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FY 2009 SOLVING COLD CASES WITH DNA GRANT PROGRAM, AND AUTHORIZING THE HIRING OF ONE, PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEE FOR UP TO EIGHTEEN MONTHS TO SERVE AS A FORENSIC TECHNICIAN IN THE CRIMINALISTICS DIVISION OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the Police Department shall be awarded grant funds in an amount not to exceed \$582,088 from the U.S. Department of Justice, National Institute of Justice, in support of the Police Department's FY 2009 Solving Cold Cases with DNA program; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2009 Solving Cold Cases with DNA grant program was created to assist local law enforcement agencies to readily identify, review, and investigate violent crime "cold cases" that have the potential to be solved using DNA analysis; and

WHEREAS, the grant term for the initiative is October 1, 2009 through March 31, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Department is requesting authorization to add one, full-time professional staff (civilian) position to the Police Department's staff who will be assigned to the Crimalistics Division and funded by the FY 2009 Solving Cold Cases with DNA grant for up to eighteen months; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Forensic Technician shall provide specialized scientific analyses relating to DNA profiles of Cold Cases within the Department's Criminalistics Division; and

WHEREAS, the City Council previously authorized acceptance of similar grant funds by Resolution No. 80870 C.M.S. dated October 2, 2007, and Resolution No. 81222 C.M.S. dated April 15, 2008; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Council hereby authorizes the City Administrator or his designee to accept grant funds in an amount not to exceed \$582,088 from the U.S. Department of Justice, National Institute of Justice, and to increase revenues and appropriate said budget to the Police Department; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That said grant funds shall be maintained in the Federal Grant Fund: 2112; Criminalistics Division Org.: 102610; Criminalistics Division Program: PS05; in a Project Number to be established; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That the Police Department is authorized to hire a Forensic Technician to provide specialized scientific analyses relating to DNA profiles of Cold Cases within the Department's Criminalistics Division, and funded by the FY 2009 Solving Cold Cases with DNA grant program for up to eighteen months; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator, or his designee, is hereby authorized to complete all required negotiations, certifications, assurances, and documentation required to accept, modify, extend and/or amend the grant award.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,	, 20
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
AYES- BROOKS, DECKAPES, KAPLAN, KERNIGHAN, NA	DEL, QUAN, REID, and PRESIDENT BRUNNER $-7$
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Excused - De La Fuente - 1	ATTEST:  LaTonda Simmons  City Clerk and Clerk of the

Council of the City of Oakland, California

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