

Agenda Memo

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TO: Oakland City Councilmembers and Members of the Public

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION REAFFIRMING OAKLAND'S COMMITMENT TO THE PRINCIPLES OF DEMOCRACY AND SELF GOVERNANCE, AND CONDEMNING THE CONTINUED RUSSIAN INVASION OF UKRAINE

DATE: May 2nd, 2023

Colleagues on the City Council and Members of the Public,

Last year, the City of Oakland filed a filed a resolution condemning the invasion of Ukraine. One year later, I am filing the attached resolution reaffirming Oakland's commitment to the principles of democracy and self-governance and condemning the continued invasion of Ukraine.

Ukraine is a sovereign, autonomous democratic state whose borders and territorial integrity cannot be changed by force. In solidarity with the Ukrainian people and those of Ukrainian decent in our Oakland community, I ask my colleagues to continue the Oakland City Council's stance condemning Russia's Invasion of Ukraine and reaffirming the right of any peoples to democracy and self-governance.

Thank you!

Respectfully submitted,

Dan Kall

Councilmember Kalb