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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Resolution No. _____C.M.S

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER DAN KALB and DESLEY BROOKS

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSIOLOGICAL MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY ON THE OCCASIONS OF A SYMPOSIUM IN OAKLAND ON JUNE 14 THROUGH JUNE 15, 2013 AND THE HOSTING A FREE HEALTH SCREENING AND AWARENESS EVENT IN OAKLAND ON JUNE 13

WHEREAS, there is an intensified awareness today of the multiple roles sleep plays in both health and disease; and

WHEREAS, less recognized but also important, there are multiple ways in which oral pathology and dental dysfunction are frequently amplified into body disease and disability; and

WHEREAS, optimal diagnosis and treatment often demand the attention of both dental and medical health care professionals working together as a team guiding diagnosis and treatment processes for the benefit of the patient; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of Physiological Medicine and Dentistry (AAPMD) is a multidisciplinary group formed to build a bridge between physicians, dentists, orofacial myofunctional therapists and other allied health care practitioners and the public to provide fuller, integrated care for children and adults; and

WHEREAS, AAPMD focuses on issues relating to sleep disorders, craniofacial pain, child growth and development, chronic inflammation and sports and academic performance; and

WHEREAS, AAPMD will hold a symposium titled "The Silent Airway Problem: It's Impact on Development, Performance and Health" at the Oakland Marriott City Center located at 1001 Broadway, Oakland, California on June 14 through June 15 to bring together a consortium of dentists and physicians to examine solutions to reducing sleep apnea and other sleep-related disorders in children while promoting healthy breathing and eating practices; and

WHEREAS, AAPMD will host a free public health screening and awareness event for adults in children on June 13 at the Allen Temple Baptist Church located at 8501 International Boulevard in Oakland, where medical practitioners from across the country will volunteer their time to reach out and help Oakland residents through screening and education at no cost; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Oakland City Council, assembled this fourth day of June, 2013 commends and recognizes this valued organization on its mission to improve children's health and well-being; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Dr. John Kelly, DDS and member of the Board of Directors of the AAPMD.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, GALLO, GIBSON MCELHANEY, KALB, KAPLAN, REID, SCHAAF, AND PRESIDENT KERNIGHAN

NOES – ABSENT – ABSTENTION –

ATTEST:

LATONDA SIMMONS City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland, California