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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

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Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_C

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INTRODUCED BY MAYOR JEAN QUAN

## HONORING INCOMING SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS ANTWAN WILSON AND OUTGOING SUPERINTENDENT DR. GARY YEE

WHEREAS, Antwan Wilson comes to Oakland from the Denver Public Schools, where he was known as a thoughtful advocate for educational equality, focusing on school-improvement efforts and supporting student achievement; and

WHEREAS, as Assistant Superintendent for Post-Secondary Readiness, Mr. Wilson lead Denver's "Public Schools' Turnaround" efforts, which achieved remarkable improvement in graduation rates and the number of students entering college; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Wilson was the unanimous choice of the Oakland Unified School District Board of Education as its next Superintendent of Schools; and

WHEREAS, outgoing Superintendent of Schools Gary Yee has dedicated a lifetime of service to the Oakland public schools - as a student, teacher, principal, administrator and School Board Director for 10 years; and

WHEREAS, Superintendent Yee stepped up at a key time from Board of Education President to Superintendent of Schools, and has provided steady leadership for the past year; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Yee will continue to devote his time and valuable efforts to the Oakland Unified School District even as he steps down as Superintendent, now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**: That the Oakland City Council hereby welcomes Mr. Wilson to his new post while it thanks Dr. Yee for his many years of service.

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