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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Resolution No. _____C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER LYNETTE GIBSON MCELHANEY

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT OF \$1,590 FROM COUNCIL PRESIDENT LYNETTE GIBSON MCELHANEY'S GRAFFITI ABATEMENT MURAL AND GREEN WALL FUNDS TO OAKLAND PARKS AND RECREATION FOUNDATION, AS FISCAL SPONSOR FOR THE ADAMS POINT NEIGHBORHOOD GROUP, FOR FIVE MOSAIC TRASH CANS IN THE ADAMS POINT NEIGHBORHOOD ON MACARTHUR BOULEVARD.

WHEREAS, on June 27, 2013, the City Council adopted a budget that set aside graffiti abatement funds for murals and green walls for the Oakland City Councilmembers to award at their discretion in an effort to address graffiti within their districts; and

WHEREAS, the aggregate litter containers in Adams Point, and in many parts of Oakland, are frequently tagged and become sources of blight; and

WHEREAS, beautifying the trash receptacles will not only improve the aesthetic appeal of such bins, but also encourage residents to utilize them to dispose of their waste; and

WHEREAS, the Adams Point Neighborhood Group, a dedicated organization of residents who work together on projects to improve the cleanliness and safety of this neighborhood, have installed dozens of tile mosaics on trash cans throughout Adams Point as a beautification project of Keep Oakland Clean and Beautiful, which has been well received by the public; and

WHEREAS, Council President Lynette Gibson McElhaney wishes to grant a portion of her Graffiti Abatement Mural and Green Wall Funds to the Adams Point Neighborhood Group, through their fiscal sponsor – the Oakland Parks and Recreation Foundation – to fund five mosaic trash cans as part of the beautification project; and

WHEREAS, in conformance with City requirements, the Adams Point Neighborhood Group will provide documentation for the use of the Councilmember's Graffiti Abatement Mural and Green Wall funds; now, therefore, be it **RESOLVED:** That the City Council authorizes the grant of \$1,590 from Councilmember Lynette Gibson McElhaney's Graffiti Abatement Mural and Green Wall funds to the Oakland Parks and Recreation Foundation, as fiscal sponsor for the Adams Point Neighborhood Group, for five mosaic trash cans in the Adams Point Neighborhood, located at the following locations:

- 2 at the corner of MacArthur and Grand
- 1 at the corner of MacArthur and Van Buren
- 1 at the corner of MacArthur and Adams
- 1 at the corner of MacArthur and Vernon; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Administrator is authorized to execute a grant agreement with Oakland Parks and Recreation Foundation, as fiscal sponsor for the Adams Point Neighborhood Group, for the above purpose, subject to approval as to form and legality by the City Attorney.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - BROOKS, CAMPBELL WASHINGTON, GALLO, GUILLEN, KALB, KAPLAN, REID AND PRESIDENT GIBSON MCELHANEY

NOES – ABSENT – ABSTENTION –

ATTEST:

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