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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER ABEL GUILLÉN

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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT OF UP TO \$10,000 FROM COUNCILMEMBER ABEL GUILLÉN'S GRAFFITI ABATEMENT MURAL AND GREEN WALL FUNDS TO ARTIST PAMELA CONSEAR FOR A MURAL MOSAIC ALONG E. 24TH STREET AT 10TH AVENUE AT OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT'S BELLA VISTA CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, 2410 10TH AVENUE IN DISTRICT 2**

**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, subject to Council approval, in an effort to address graffiti within their districts; and

**WHEREAS**, graffiti is and has been a major source of blight in District 2, including on the walls along the sidewalk at the campus of Oakland Unified School District's (OUSD's) Bella Vista Child Development Center, which is located in a densely populated neighborhood; and

**WHEREAS**, Artist Pamela Consear is a teacher and muralist who has worked in the neighborhood for over 20 years and over the past eight years has engaged hundreds of students and community members in public art projects; and

**WHEREAS**, Artist Pamela Consear will collaborate with OUSD's Bella Vista Child Development Center, 17Y NCPC and Friends of Bella Vista Park on the design and implementation of the mosaic mural; and

**WHEREAS**, Councilmember Abel Guillén wishes to grant a portion of his Graffiti Abatement Mural and Green Wall Funds to Pamela Consear to fund a mosaic mural on the wall located at the campus of Bella Vista Child Development Center at E. 24<sup>th</sup> Street and 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue in District 2; and

**WHEREAS**, in conformance with City requirements, Pamela Consear will provide documentation for the use of the Councilmember's Graffiti Abatement Mural and Green Wall Funds, including any permits required and permission from the property owner to install a mosaic mural; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Council authorizes the grant not to exceed \$10,000 from Councilmember Abel Guillén's Graffiti Abatement Mural and Green Wall funds to Pamela Consear for a mosaic mural at E. 24<sup>th</sup> Street and 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue at OUSD's Bella Vista Child Development Center in District 2; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator is authorized to execute a grant agreement with Pamela Consear 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, GUILLÉN, KALB, KAPLAN, REID AND  
PRESIDENT GIBSON MCELHANEY

NOES -  
ABSENT -  
ABSTENTION -

ATTEST:

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