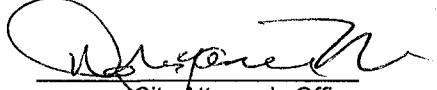


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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT LYNETTE GIBSON MCELHANEY

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE DOWNTOWN OAKLAND SENIOR CENTER FOR MORE THAN 35 YEARS OF SERVICE

WHEREAS, in 1981 the City of Oakland established the first Multipurpose Senior Services Center at 200 Grand Avenue in the Veterans Memorial Building; and

WHEREAS, the Downtown Oakland Senior Center was established in recognition of the contributions of Oakland senior residents who provide the wisdom, knowledge, and inspiration that form the basis of our society; and

WHEREAS, the Downtown Oakland Senior Center was established to promote health, education, nutrition and community engagement; and

WHEREAS, the Downtown Oakland Senior Center serves our community five days per week with senior classes, events, and travel programs, and during night and weekend hours through Lake Merritt Dance Center programs; and

WHEREAS, more than 1,100 seniors including retired teachers, civic leaders, veterans, and business owners play a vital role at the Downtown Oakland Senior Center through their volunteering, mentorship, and overall engagement; and

WHEREAS, on July 14, 2016 the Downtown Oakland Senior Center celebrated 35 years of operation with a community celebration; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Oakland City Council hereby recognizes the Downtown Oakland Senior Center for keeping Oakland seniors active and informed for more than 35 years.

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