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Introduced by Councilmember

CHILDREN'S LITERACY PROGRAMMING FUND

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City Attorney

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE GRANT FUNDS FROM THE KENNETH RAININ FOUNDATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$55,000 FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2017 TO DECEMBER 31, 2017 FOR THE

PURCHASE OF BOOKS FOR THE OAKLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY'S

WHEREAS, the Oakland Public Library makes books and other resources accessible to our community based on their interest and needs; and

WHEREAS, research shows that early reading proficiency is a primary indicator of a child's future academic success; and

WHEREAS, the Oakland Public Library supports early literacy and promotes a love of reading through a range of services, including initiatives that create access to books and stories for children who may not otherwise have adequate access; and

WHEREAS, the Oakland Public Library depends on private funders to offer engaging early literacy programs for young readers and their families at all 16 branches and the Main Library throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, on September 23, 2016 the Kenneth Rainin Foundation invited the Oakland Public Library to apply for a grant in the amount of \$55,000 for the purchase of books to distribute to children through multiple programs, including Summer Reading and Winter Bingo; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator is hereby authorized to apply for, accept and appropriate grant funds from the Kenneth Rainin Foundation in the amount of \$55,000 for the period January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017 for the purposes described above; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the grant money received shall be deposited into the Oakland Public Library Trust Fund (7540), Organization 61313, in project(s) to be assigned; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That the City Administrator is hereby authorized to accept and appropriate additional grant funds from the Kenneth Rainin Foundation for the same purposes within the same grant period without returning to Council.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, .	DEC 1 3 2016
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
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