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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO.

Introduced by Councilmember NOEL GALLO

## RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF ROSALINDA ADVINCULA FOR HER DEDICATED COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP AND EXEMPLARY FAMILY VALUES

WHEREAS, Rosalinda Advincula was born on September 3, 1974 in the Philippines and was the only daughter of Benita Advincula and the late Eduardo Advincula, whom she dearly loved; and

WHEREAS, sadly, Rosa passed away September 27, 2017 of severe complications following childbirth; and

WHEREAS, Rosa has three surviving daughters, Akasha, Maya and a new born named in her honor, Rosalinda, and she shared a very special life with her loving partner, Miles Traver; and

WHEREAS, Rosa came to the U.S. at the age of 12, lived in San Francisco, graduated from the San Francisco School of the Arts in 1992 where she studied dance and received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology; and

WHEREAS, Rosa made a huge impact and touched many lives in the she worked, bringing language access to Californians by working with the United Domestic Workers, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Local 3930 and the Alameda Labor Council; and

WHEREAS, as the Community Services Director at the Alameda Labor Council, Rosa worked with the iAmerica Coalition composed of elected officials, immigrant rights organizations, advocacy groups and labor unions; and, as an immigrant from the Philippines, Rosa understood how important it was for undocumented immigrants to know their rights; and

WHEREAS, Rosa cherished time with her family and friends and touched countless lives over the years, serving as a role model for many, especially her daughters, as having resilience, positivity, kindness, spirituality and her unconditional love; now, therefore, be it

City Attorney

Approved as to Form and Legality

C.M.S.

**RESOLVED:** That we thank Rosa for sharing her life and her gift to care for others, especially people of color and immigrant families, and we will always remember what an amazing human being she was; and be it; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the Oakland City Council, hereby, recognizes, commends and honors the legacy of Rosalinda Advincula for her dedicated community leadership and exemplary family values.

## IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

## PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

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

NOES -

ABSENT -

**ABSTENTION -**

ATTEST:

LaTonda Simmons City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland, California