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City Attorney's Office

## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

| RESOLUTION NO. | C.M.S. |
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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR, OR DESIGNEE, TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE DONATED FUNDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED NINETY-SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$96,000.00) FROM THE FRIENDS OF OAKLAND ANIMAL SERVICES TO FUND A TEMPORARY CONTRACT SERVICE EMPLOYEE VETERINARIAN POSITION FOR A ONE-YEAR PERIOD.

**WHEREAS**, Oakland Animal Services ("OAS") largely serves Oakland citizens who lack the financial resources to provide veterinary care for their pets; and

**WHEREAS**, OAS has budgeted one full-time equivalent Veterinarian position which is vacant, with a process underway to fill the position in the near future; and

**WHEREAS,** OAS intakes nearly 6,000 animals annually but lacks adequate veterinary capacity to provide these animals with proper medical care; and

**WHEREAS**, Friends of Oakland Animal Services has agreed to donate \$96,000 to allow OAS to hire a Temporary Contract Service Employee ("TCSE") Veterinarian for up to 960 hours for a one-year period, at no expense to the City of Oakland; and

**WHEREAS,** Having additional in-house veterinary capacity will allow OAS to provide support to people who love their animals but lack the resources to provide necessary veterinarian care, including people who are unsheltered, to keep people and animals together; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator, or designee, is authorized to accept and appropriate donated funds from Friends of Oakland Animal Services in an amount not to exceed ninety-six thousand dollars \$96,000.00 to add a TCSE Veterinarian for up to 960 hours for a one-year period; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator is authorized to complete all negotiations and complete all contracts, amendments, modifications and extensions consistent with this resolution and its basic purposes.

| IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,   |
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| PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:  |
| AYES - FORTUNATO BAS, GALLO, GIBSON MCELHANEY, KALB, REID, TAYLOR, THAO AND PRESIDENT KAPLAN |
| NOES –   |
| ABSENT –   |
| ABSTENTION –   |
| ATTEST:  |
| LATONDA SIMMONS<br>City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the<br>City of Oakland, California |