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MEMORANDUM

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR &
CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Sabrina B. Landreth

SUBJECT: City Administrator's Weekly Report

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INFORMATION

Following are the key activities to be highlighted this week:

OPD, Oakland Community Liaison Feed The Hungry – On Tuesday, March 15, officers from the Oakland Police Department (OPD) Area 4 Community Resource team, led by Sgt. Mega Lee, teamed up with Mr. Luis Ortega to feed the homeless along the Hegenberger corridor and other areas in East Oakland where they knew there was a need. Mr. Ortega, Community Liaison to Oakland City Councilmember Noel Gallo, reached out to In-N-Out Burger and FoodMaxx and obtained generous donations of food and water. Tuesday's effort was the third time this year that these Community Resource Officers have been able to reach out to the hungry in Area 4, thanks to the efforts of Mr. Ortega and the willingness of vendors to donate. Providing meals to the hungry gave these officers an opportunity to meet and talk one-on-one with community members they serve. The pleasure of giving was equal to the pleasure of receiving. For more information, please contact the OPD Media Relations Office at opdmedia@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-7230.

Oakland EarthEXPO – On Wednesday April 6, the Oakland Public Works Department will host Oakland EarthEXPO, a free environmental sustainability fair, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Held in Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, 14th Street at Broadway, the fair will have more than 100 sustainable businesses, non-profits and environmental and community leaders offering information and resources on local initiatives, sustainable practices and environmentally-friendly products. Come enjoy a tasty lunch from one of the food vendors or restaurants in the plaza, sign up for energy and solar assessments, learn about water savings rebates, test drive electric cars and bikes, have your children's toys tested for toxic content, discover environmentally-friendly products and more. For a complete list of exhibitors and exhibit information, please visit www.oaklandearthexpo.org. For more information, please contact Mike Perlmutter, Environmental Stewardship Team Supervisor, at mperlmutter@oaklandnet.com.

Take The ADA Self-Evaluation Update Survey – Through Friday, April 8, community members are invited to take the Americans With Disabilities Act Self-Evaluation Update Survey at <http://goo.gl/forms/vUpFMCMckQ>. Results from this brief survey will assist with the development of recommendations for improving access across all City programs. The public is

also invited to participate in a facilitated discussion regarding Citywide program access for persons with disabilities at a special meeting of the Mayor's Commission on Persons with Disabilities on Thursday, March 31. The meeting, which will run from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., will be held in Hearing Room 4, Oakland City Hall, 1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza. R.S.V.P. for this meeting to adaprograms@oaklandnet.com. If you have questions or would like more information on the City of Oakland's ADA Self-Evaluation Update project, please contact Sherri Rita, ADA Programmatic Access Coordinator, at srita@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-6919.

Earthquake Upgrade Construction To Begin On BART Elevated Structures – In March, as part of their system-wide Earthquake Safety Program, strengthening work will begin on BART's elevated structures in East Oakland, spanning from 18th Avenue to 75th Avenue. The work includes adding steel and concrete to foundations, and protecting utilities and equipment. General work hours are 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday with limited night and emergency work as needed. For safety reasons, installation of temporary k-rail and safety shields for BART track ways may be performed at night. This work will happen intermittently throughout the duration of construction. If lighting is required at night, special care will be taken to ensure that lights are directed at the work areas and away from residences. During the project, the public can expect temporary shifting of traffic lanes, and temporary sidewalk and lane closures, as well as temporary reduction of available street parking. The public can also expect the relocation of traffic signals, lighting and pedestrian signage. BART will attempt to minimize construction-related noise, dust and inconvenience. Please watch for signs with safety information and other notices. To learn more about BART's Earthquake Safety Program, please visit www.bart.gov/earthquakesafety. For additional information, please call BART's Program Information Line at (510) 874-7425.

Register For Oakland Earth Day – On Saturday, April 23, the City Of Oakland will host Oakland Earth Day, its largest annual volunteer cleanup and beautification event. In 2015, more than 3,400 volunteers pitched in more than 15,000 hours at 90 sites across Oakland. Volunteers removed over 170 cubic yards of trash and 500 cubic yards of weeds and green waste – enough to fill more than 4,000 household garbage cans. This year, volunteers will be working at approximately 100 sites across the city. Join in the fun to clean and green Oakland's parks, creeks and streets. To sign up as a site coordinator, register as a group or individual volunteer or find more information, please visit www.oaklandearthday.org. For more information, please contact Mike Perlmutter, Environmental Stewardship Team Leader, at mperlmutter@oaklandnet.com.

CORE Offers Range Of Preparedness Classes – Through June, the CORE (Communities of Oakland Respond to Emergencies) Program will host a series of preparedness training classes for Oakland residents and business owners. CORE teaches self-reliance skills and helps neighborhoods establish response teams to take care of the neighborhood after a disaster until professional help arrives. CORE is a free program of the Oakland Fire Department's Emergency Management Services Division. To view the complete CORE Class schedule for April to June, please visit <http://bit.ly/1UKFNMG>. Upcoming training opportunities include:

- Wednesday, April 6, 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.
CORE I - Home and Family Preparedness Training

Mills College, Room CPM 114, 5000 MacArthur Boulevard

Learn how to reduce common household hazards, prepare a family disaster plan and emergency kits, develop evacuation plans and learn how to respond to earthquakes, fires, flooding, hazardous materials and more.

- Wednesday, April 13, 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.
CORE II - Neighborhood Preparedness and Response Training
Mills College, Room CPM 114, 5000 MacArthur Boulevard
Learn how to organize your neighborhood, create emergency response teams and how to set up and operate a Neighborhood Command Post. Conduct a neighborhood response utilizing volunteers following a major disaster. Prerequisite: CORE I.

- Saturday, April 30, 9:00 a.m. to noon
CORE 11th Annual Citywide Disaster Exercise
Oakland Fire Department Training Division, 250 Victory Court
Individuals will have a chance to participate in a simulated neighborhood exercise. This training is for anyone who is not already part of a CORE group or who is part of a CORE group that will not be participating in this year's exercise. To view the CORE Citywide Exercise Flyer, please visit <http://bit.ly/1Rk10dW>.

In addition, the CORE Program offers advanced workshops on a variety of topics, including Command Post Operations, Disaster First Aid and Communications. Advanced registration is required. There are no prerequisite classes required. For more information on advanced workshops, please contact the CORE office at core@oaklandnet.com. For the complete roster of upcoming classes and events, please visit <http://www.oaklandcore.com> or call (510) 238-6351. For more information about the CORE program, please contact Dena Gunning, CORE Coordinator, at dgunning@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-6068.

OPD Officers Do More Than Walk The Talk: They Run It – On Sunday, March 20, the 20 runners of the Oakland Police Department's (OPD's) Bakersfield-to-Vegas Running Team completed the 120-mile race in approximately 18½ hours. The original ideals of the Challenge Cup/Bakersfield to Vegas Relay continue: teamwork, camaraderie, physical fitness and competition. Law enforcement agency teams travelled from across the United States and abroad to compete, including members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and participants from Berlin and Hamburg, Germany. This year, more than 8,000 runners participated in the race. Participants spent a great deal of time preparing for the physical requirements of the race. Upon their return to Oakland, the OPD runners and their support team were honored for representing the organization so well. For more information, please contact the OPD Media Relations Office at opdmedia@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-7230.

2016 Youth Poet Laureate Entry Deadline – On Friday, April 1, all applications for the 2016 Youth Poet Laureate Competition are due. Youth Speaks, the Oakland Public Library and an alliance of community partners are on a citywide search for exceptional youth poetry in Oakland. Teens, ages 13 to 18, are encouraged to apply. The chosen Oakland Youth Poet Laureate will receive a \$5,000 college scholarship and serve as city ambassador for literacy, arts and youth

expression. Finalists will be announced in May and the 2016 Oakland Youth Poet Laureate will be named during the Beast Crawl Literary Festival in July. Interested youth, parents and teachers can learn more and apply online at www.youthspeaks.org/poetlaureate. For more information, please contact Lana Adlawan, Teen Services Supervising Librarian, at oaklandpoets@youthspeaks.org or (510) 238-7613.

OPD/CAL Help Domestic Violence Survivors – On Saturday, March 19, at their home season opener, the Cal Berkeley Women's Softball Team partnered with the Oakland Police Department and the Sunnyvale Police & Fire departments to raise awareness about domestic violence. The scholar-athletes and officers are teamed on a special project, "Dress for Success," that helps local victims of domestic violence – women, men, teens, children and babies – by providing donations such as clothing, personal hygiene products (i.e., soap, shampoo, etc.), makeup, shoes and even diapers. The goal is to enable those in need to successfully move forward. At the kick-off event, the "Dress for Success" team and fans filled the donation bins to the brim. An entire passenger van was filled with these donations, which were transported to a local domestic violence shelter on Monday, March 21. Coach Diane Ninemire and Catcher Annie Aldreti spoke with Channel 2 reporter Henry Lee about "Dress for Success" on Crime Files, which aired Sunday, March 20, just after 10:30 p.m. Donations will be gathered at every home game this season. For more information, please contact the OPD Media Relations Office at opdmedia@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-7230.

Lincoln Square Pancake Breakfast – On Sunday, March 27, in collaboration with Wu Sung Community Service Club, Oakland Parks & Recreation's Lincoln Square Recreation Center, 250 10th Street, will host the 63rd annual Stacks 'N Sausages unlimited pancake breakfast. From 8:30 to 11:30 a.m., all families and community members are encouraged to feast on pancakes for a \$5 donation. Proceeds will benefit recreation programming. For more information, please contact Gilbert Gong, Recreation Center Director, at ggong@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-7738.

OPD Makes Arrests – On Sunday, March 20, at about 1:00 a.m., Oakland Police officers responded to a call of a person with a firearm in the 10400 block of MacArthur Boulevard. Witnesses directed the officers to a loaded, high-capacity-magazine, illegally owned firearm under a vehicle; they also identified the suspect, whom the officers arrested. On Monday, March 21, at about 5:10 p.m., Oakland Police officers were flagged down in the 8600 block of International Boulevard by a woman who stated that she had just been robbed by three males (two juveniles and an adult), who were standing nearby. The woman told the officers that the three suspects had dragged her and then taken her purse. Two suspects were arrested for robbery and kidnapping, and the third, a juvenile, fled on foot. The loss was recovered. On Tuesday, March 22, at about 5:00 p.m., Oakland Police officers conducted a traffic stop in the 7800 block of Ash Street on a vehicle in connection with a shooting that had occurred earlier in the day. The officers recovered a firearm from the vehicle and arrested the driver. For more information, please contact the OPD Media Relations Office at opdmedia@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-7230.

Kiva Oakland Launch – On Wednesday, March 16, Bay Area-based Kiva.org – best known for crowdfunding loans for 1.7 million entrepreneurs globally – launched Kiva Oakland. Under the leadership of Mayor Libby Schaaf, the City of Oakland is partnering with Kiva to bring 0%

interest crowdfunded loans to hundreds of Oakland small business owners who are socially impactful and financially excluded from mainstream lending options. Those interested in helping small businesses thrive in Oakland can visit www.Kiva.org/Oakland to browse through small business owner's profiles and choose who they want to lend to. Individual loans of \$25 or more are collected until the borrower's full loan request is "crowdfunded." Beginning March 16, the City of Oakland, OBDC Small Business Finance, Capital One and the Miller Family Foundation will match every dollar that individuals lend to an Oakland borrower, up to \$225,000. As the entrepreneur repays, lenders can relend that same money to another person at Kiva Oakland or withdraw their money and put it back in their pocket. With an initial \$500,000 investment from The San Francisco Foundation and \$500,000 from Google.org, Kiva Oakland is able to become a primary capital source for financially excluded small businesses. Increasing access to capital for these small businesses is key to expanding economic development and job creation in Oakland. According to the City of Oakland's Economic & Workforce Development Department, which operates the Business Assistance Center, 90% of Oakland businesses employ 20 or fewer employees. Kiva's loans, which average \$5,000 and are available up to \$10,000, are designed to reach small business owners locked out of traditional lending or who are engaged in strengthening their communities. Loans are offered at 0% interest and no fees, minimum credit score, years of operation or collateral. Crowdfunding fills a critical lending gap faced by entrepreneurs whose businesses are too young, too small or too innovative to receive traditional small business loans. Traditional lenders reject 80% of small business loan applications and Hispanics and African American entrepreneurs are denied small business loans up to three times more often than their Caucasian counterparts. Through Kiva, a borrower's credit-worthiness is based on their ability to recruit friends and family to fund a small portion of their loan, demonstrating that they've earned trust among the people that know them best. Kiva Oakland is a partnership between the City of Oakland and nearly three dozen nonprofits throughout the city. For more information on lending or borrowing through Kiva Oakland, please visit www.kiva.org/oakland.

Spring Camps – From Friday, March 25 through Friday, April 1, schools in the Oakland Unified School District will be closed for spring recess. During that time, Oakland Parks & Recreation (OPR) will be offering spring break camps. For a list of participating recreation centers, please visit www.oaklandnet.com/parks. For more information, please call (510) 238-7275.

Wild Language At Dimond Branch Library – On Tuesday, March 29, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., authors and activists Drew Dellinger, Osprey Orielle Lake and Mary Reynolds Thompson will offer a provocative and lively mix of performance poetry, imagery, art and storytelling during "Wild Language: An Evening of Poetry, Imagery and Activism" at the Dimond Branch Library, 3565 Fruitvale Avenue. Drew Dellinger, author of *Love Letter to the Milky Way: A Book of Poems*, is an activist, spoken word performing artist and evolutionary cosmologist. Osprey Orielle Lake is an acclaimed sculptor and environmental activist. Mary Reynolds Thompson is the author of the books *Reclaiming the Wild Soul: How Earth's Landscapes Restore us to Wholeness* and *Embrace Your Inner Wild: 52 Reflections for an Eco-Centric World*. All are welcome at this free event. For more information, please contact Rebekah Eppley, Librarian I, at reppley@oaklandlibrary.org or (510) 482-7844.

Public Input Sought On Local Hazard Prioritization – In April, the City of Oakland will host

two additional community meeting where Oakland residents and business owners are invited to share their priorities on reducing the effects of natural hazards and risks. Every five years, FEMA requires local governments to update their Local Hazard Mitigation Plan (LHMP). The City of Oakland is currently updating its LHMP for the years 2016-2021. The LHMP will identify projects that could potentially reduce risks in the community from natural hazards and is designed to reduce the loss of life and property. To be most effective, a Hazard Mitigation Plan is prepared before a disaster occurs by identifying the hazards a community faces, assessing vulnerabilities to the hazards and identifying specific actions that can be taken to reduce the risk. The two additional meetings are:

- April 18, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., at the Faith Presbyterian Church, 430 49th Street
- April 25, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., at the West Oakland Senior Center, 1724 Adeline Street

For those unable to attend a community meeting, feedback may be provided by:

- Taking the online survey at <http://speakupoakland.org/surveys>
- Emailing your comments to dreiff@oaklandnet.com
- Attending one of the public hearings at the Oakland Planning Commission and Oakland City Council

The 2016-2021 LHMP will describe the natural hazards and risks, identify the top priorities for addressing each hazard and detail the work being done now and work expected to be done over the next five years. Once the plan is adopted by the Oakland City Council, the City of Oakland can prioritize projects and continue to be eligible to obtain FEMA pre- and post-disaster grants. The plan will also make Oakland a more disaster-resistant and resilient community. To learn more about the City's Local Hazard Mitigation Plan program as well as details on future meetings, please visit www.oaklandnet.com/lhmp.

Dunsmuir Great Egg Hunt – On Saturday, March 26, the Dunsmuir-Hellman Historic Estate, located at 2960 Peralta Oaks Court, will host its annual Great Egg Hunt. From 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m., children and families are encouraged to participate in a variety of spring-time activities including arts & crafts, face painting and live entertainment. Children may bring baskets to use during the multiple egg hunts scheduled throughout the event. Tickets, available at the front gate, cost \$5 for adults, \$3 for children ages 4 and older and \$2 for children ages 3 & younger. To view the egg hunt schedule, please visit www.dunsmuir-hellman.com. For more information, please contact Deborah Cooper, Estate Manager, at dcooper@oaklandnet.com or (510) 615-5555.

Call For Mother Of The Year Nominations – Noon on Friday, April 1, is the deadline for Oakland Mother of the Year nominations. Local businesses, community groups, professional associations, government agencies and service-related organizations are encouraged to submit nominations. Oakland's Mother of the Year Award program was initiated in 1954 to publically honor Oakland citizens whose contributions to the community symbolize the finest traditions of "motherhood." To view the full criteria and the nomination form, please visit www.oaklandnet.com/parks. Honorees will be recognized on Saturday, May 7, during a ceremony at the Morcom Rose Garden, 700 Jean Street. For more information or to submit a nomination,

please contact Gail McMillon at gmcmillon@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-3186.

Tool Drive For The Tool Lending Library – On Saturday, March 26, from 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., the Friends of the Oakland Tool Lending Library, 5205 Telegraph Avenue, are having a tool drive for an upcoming fund raiser. If you have used tools in good working condition that you are ready to part with, don't throw them out, donate them. Your tax-deductible donation will be part of a tool sale in May that will raise funds for new storage for the Tool Lending Library. If you have large tools, please call ahead to ensure that we can accept it. For more information, please contact Rachel Sher, Senior Library Assistant, at rsheer@oaklandlibrary.org or (510) 597-5089.

CPRB To Host Conference – On Thursday, April 7, the Citizens' Police Review Board (CPRB) will host a conference entitled "Profiling: Developing a Mechanism to Identify, Quantify and Investigate Profiling Allegations Against Police" from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Jack London Aquatic Center, 115 Embarcadero. This event provides an opportunity to have round table discussions on ways to identify, quantify and investigate profiling that we can then take back to our respective communities and agencies. Guest presenters will include:

- Deputy Chief of Police Danielle Outlaw, Bureau of Services, Oakland Police Department
- Dr. Jack Glaser, Associate Professor, Associate Dean, Goldman School of Public Policy, University of California, Berkeley
- Mr. Walter Katz, Independent Police Auditor, Office of the Independent Police Auditor, City of San Jose
- Ms. Cameron McEllhiney, Director of Training & Education, NACOLE
- Dr. Nicholas Camp, Professor of Psychology, Stanford University

Continental breakfast and sign-in will be held from 8:30 to 9:00 a.m. Lunch will be provided. Space is limited to the first 100 people for this free event. Given space constraints, organizations are asked to register no more than five individuals per organization. To register, please visit <https://oakland-regional-event.eventbrite.com>. The registration deadline is Tuesday, March 8. For more information, please contact Anthony Finnell, CPRB Executive Director, at afinnell@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-7401.

Library Celebrating Women's History Month With Citywide Programming – Throughout March, the Oakland Public Library is celebrating Women's History Month with a month-long series of events, featuring local authors, children's story times, displays and exhibits celebrating women and transgender trailblazers. There will be inspiration and activities for all ages. Notable events include Kate Schatz and Miriam Klein Stahl on Saturday, March 12, at the César E. Chávez Branch Library, 3301 East 12th Street; award-winning author Alex Gino on Saturday, March 19 at the Main Library, 125 14th Street; and Juliana "Jewels" Smith, author of *(H)afrocentric*, on Saturday, March 26, at the African American Museum & Library at Oakland, 659 14th Street. An

Oakland History Room program on Wednesday, March 23, at the Main Library, will highlight the history of the Oakland women's clubs movement that advanced the city's cultural and philanthropic life, including the venerable Ebell Society and the Fanny Jackson Coppin Club. Beginning Tuesday, March 1, look for book displays at the Golden Gate, Elmhurst and Eastmont branches, and visit the Main Library's first floor for displays celebrating women and transgender labor leaders, STEM pioneers, local Indigenous artists and activists and more. A booklist is also available at <http://tinyurl.com/rad-list>. For the complete roster of activities, please visit www.oaklandlibrary.org/rad-women. For more information, please contact Amy Sonnie, Librarian II, at asonnie@oaklandlibrary.org or (510) 238-6931.

AAMLO's Heroines Of The Civil Rights Movement Exhibit – Through Saturday, July 16, the African American Museum and Library at Oakland (AAMLO) is hosting a major exhibit, Heroines of the Civil Rights Movement, presenting history and textile designs that honor women whose actions were instrumental in the success of the Civil Rights Movement. The exhibit features the creative "Swing Coat" designs of Ms. Patricia Montgomery, master quilter. Photographs as well as audio and video clips are also featured. AAMLO's Chief Curator Rick Moss created an environment that compliments each swing coat and is conducive to placing the actions of these women in the historical context of this great movement. Especially for this exhibit, Mr. Moss commissioned the construction of a representation of the Montgomery, Alabama, city bus made famous by Rosa Parks and the ensuing bus boycott by African American citizens of that city. This project was made possible in part by a grant from The Creative Work Fund, a program of the Walter and Elise Haas Fund supported by generous grants from the William and Flora Hewlett Foundation and The James Irvine Foundation. Funds were also provided by the Friends of the Oakland Public Library. AAMLO, located at 659 14th Street, is open from Noon to 5:30 p.m., Tuesdays to Saturdays. For more information, please contact Rick Moss, Chief Curator, at rmoss@oaklandlibrary.org or (510) 637-0197.

Need Help Filing Your Taxes? Come To The Oakland Public Library – Through Monday, April 18, the Oakland Public Library's offers free tax assistance, provided by American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) volunteers, at the following five Library locations:

- Main Library, 125 14th Street
- César E. Chávez Branch Library, 3301 E. 12th Street, Suite 271
- Dimond Branch Library, 3565 Fruitvale Avenue
- Eastmont Branch Library, 7200 Bancroft Avenue, Suite 211
- Golden Gate Branch Library, 5606 San Pablo Avenue

For a complete schedule, please visit <http://oaklandlibrary.org/services/tax-assistance-program>. For more information, please call the Main Library Information Desk at (510) 238-3134.

Get Help With Taxes Through The EITC Campaign – On Monday, January 25, the Alameda County-Oakland Community Action Partnership (AC-OCAP), in partnership with United Way of the Bay Area and Eden I&R, Inc., launched the 2015 Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) Campaign. EITC is a refundable tax credit available to working, low-income individuals and families. Depending on the family size and income, these tax credits can boost household incomes

and lift families out of poverty. Last year, during the EITC Campaign, IRS tax preparers logged more than 32,000 volunteer hours to prepare 21,195 free tax returns for low-wage earners at 34 Volunteer Income Tax Assistance sites throughout Alameda County. Eden I&R staff handled 862 calls and 1,515 referrals. The net result was \$8,881,602 in Earned Income Tax Credits and more than \$25,017,080 in total refunds. For a list of locations of no-cost tax preparation sites, please call 2-1-1 or visit www.earnitkeepitsaveit.org or www.AC-OCAP.com. For more information, please contact Cecilia Garcia, Administrative Assistant, at cgarcia@oaklandnet.com.

RFP, RFQ Opportunities – In March and April, a variety of formal Request for Proposals (RFPs) and Request for Quotations (RFQs) from the City of Oakland will close.

| Due Date/Time | Title/Description | Contact |
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| Monday, April 4, 2:00 p.m. | 5954 - RFQ for Vegetation Management Plan. The City of Oakland is seeking a professional consulting firm or a team of firms to develop a Vegetation Management Plan and accompanying California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) documentation for the Oakland high fire-severity zone/wild land urban interface (“WLUI”). The goal of the plan is to provide for short and long term fire safety of residents and first responders and for protection of public and private assets, while taking into account impacts on wildlife, habitat, native vegetation as well as aesthetics. The Plan will also include implementation of projects in two (2) project areas identified as part of a Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant which covers 66.6 acres along Skyline Boulevard and 53.3 acres along the Caldecott Tunnel (North Oakland Sports Field). The documents prepared by the firm(s) may include an Environmental Impact Report if determined to be appropriate. | Anette Boulware, Oakland Fire Department, Vegetation Management Unit aboulware@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-7491 Vincent Crudele, Oakland Fire Department, Vegetation Management Unit vcrudele@oaklandnet.com |
| Tuesday, April 5, 2:00 p.m. | 5985 - RFP for Broadway Corridor Transit Value Capture Feasibility Analysis. The City of Oakland is requesting proposals to study the viability of forming a value capture district that would help fund a Broadway | Zach Zeal, Economic & Workforce Development Department zzeal@oaklandnet.com (510) 238-2937 |

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| | <p>transit line serving downtown and neighboring districts. In 2014, the City of Oakland completed the Broadway Transit Circulator study, found at http://bit.ly/1U9EPd9, which evaluated different technologies, routes and service plans to improve connections between existing transit stations and major employment and housing areas along Broadway (see map of project corridor on page 11 of the RFP). The study considered transit improvements and the possible introduction of a new transit line on Broadway with two goals in mind: improving transit efficiency and supporting economic development. Specifically, the study evaluated strategies for moving people more quickly and reliably within and through downtown, and catalyzing transit-oriented development and business attraction along Broadway, the spine of downtown Oakland.</p> | |
| <p>Tuesday, April 5, 2:00 p.m.</p> | <p>5970 - RFP for Broadway Corridor Transit Ridership Impact Study. The City of Oakland is requesting proposals to study the potential impacts on existing local and regional transit service that could be expected to occur if a proposed transit line on Broadway in downtown Oakland is implemented. The different mode and route alternatives being considered for the new transit line are described in the Broadway Transit Circulator study found at http://bit.ly/1U9EPd9. An analytical emphasis should be placed on ridership and other impacts to existing AC Transit service, which provides the most frequent surface transit of all transit agencies on the Broadway Transit Circulator corridor (see map on page 10 of RFP). Additional local and regional public transit providers serving</p> | <p>Zach Zeal, Economic & Workforce Development Department zseal@oaklandnet.com (510) 238-2937</p> |

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| | downtown Oakland include BART, SF Bay Ferry, Amtrak and Capitol Corridor. Impacts to be identified and analyzed include, but are not limited to, ridership, fare box and service efficiency gains/losses, and competition for public transit subsidies. | |
| Thursday, April 7, 2:00 p.m. | 5978,1 - (NTB) C267630 REBID Pump Station Improvements. The proposed work consists, in general, of removing and replacing equipment, demolishing existing equipment and structures, rehabilitating existing structures and installing new equipment at three sewage lift stations. Equipment to be replaced and installed include various pumps, piping, valves, electrical equipment, and adding three standby engine generators, and other items shown to be constructed on the contract drawings or specifications, including repair and reconstruction of existing improvements affected by the work, and incidentals for complete and usable facility, and other work specifically shown in the project documents. | David Ng, Public Works Department dng@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-7267 |

For more information on contracting opportunities, please visit <http://bit.ly/1iAJvbd> or contact Dasco Munoz, Contracts and Compliance, at dmunoz@oaklandnet.com or (510) 238-3970.

Upcoming City Of Oakland Job Announcements – During the week of March 28, the Human Resources Management Department (HRM) anticipates posting job announcements for the following positions:

- Equal Opportunity Specialist
- Home Management Specialist III

For the most up-to-date information on City jobs, please view the Employment Information page on our website at <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/oaklandca/default.cfm>. The Employment Information page also contains information on minimum qualifications of specific job classifications, how to apply for a job on-line and how to submit a job interest card for positions not currently posted. For more information, please contact the Human Resources Management Receptionist at (510) 238-3112.

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

For information on upcoming City meetings and events, please visit the City's online calendar at <http://www2.oaklandnet.com/Events/index.htm>. For events at the Oakland Public Library, please visit <http://oaklandlibrary.org/events>.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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