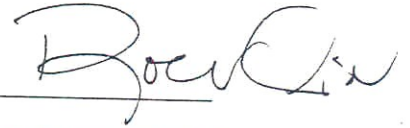


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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL
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RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING OUTDOOR LIGHTING STANDARDS FOR NEW LIGHTING FACILITIES AND ENERGY OR MAINTENANCE-RELATED RETROFIT WORK ON CITY PROPERTIES OR PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAYS, CONSISTENT WITH THE CITY'S STREET LIGHTING WARRANTS

WHEREAS, the City continuously engages in work involving outdoor lighting and is regularly called upon to approve and accept outdoor lighting work conducted by private entities on City properties or public right of ways; and

WHEREAS, outdoor lighting consists of street lighting, pedestrian lighting, accent lights for trees, accent lighting of architectural features, pathway lighting, building exterior and security lighting, parking lot lighting and ornamental street lighting; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland Street Lighting Warrants, as amended in 1999, provide guidelines for the levels of street lighting for each roadway classification consistent with the national standards for safe and comfortable vision, while recognizing the unique needs of the City of Oakland and the diversity of its community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland presently does not have guidelines for the appropriate levels of lighting for pedestrian lighting, accent lights for trees or architectural features, pathway lighting, building exterior and security lighting, parking lot lighting and ornamental street lighting; and

WHEREAS, the lack of outdoor lighting standards results in a significant amount of light from street lights to be reflected away from the street and causing glare; and

WHEREAS, the establishment of efficient and even lighting such as the use of luminaries will limit or reduce up-light and light pollution; the use of limited power Light Emitting Diode (LED) lights will limit or reduce contribution to glare; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Oakland finds that the establishment of Outdoor Lighting Standards will provide efficient and even lighting throughout the City of Oakland consistent with the Street Lighting Warrants; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Oakland finds that the Outdoor Lighting Standards, which establish guidelines to reduce glare and provide the even distribution of lighting, do not constitute a project as defined under The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), and therefore are exempt from CEQA under its general rules; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Outdoor Lighting Standards for City work and private work conducted on City properties or City public right of ways are hereby adopted by the City of Oakland; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Council of the City of Oakland authorizes the City Manager or his representative to enforce and implement the Outdoor Lighting Standards consistent with the Street Lighting Warrants; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Public Works Agency-Electrical Services Division Manager shall be responsible for approving all outdoor lighting installations, consistent with the Outdoor Lighting Standards and the Street Lighting Warrants; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Manager or his representative may modify from time to time and as deemed necessary, the Outdoor Lighting Standards, consistent with the Street Lighting Warrants; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Attorney has approved this resolution, and a copy is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, DEC 17 2002, 20

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

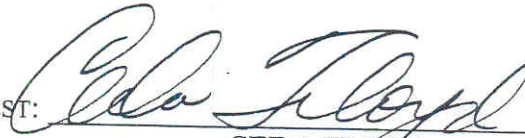
AYES- BRUNNER, CHANG, MAYNE, NADEL, REID, SPEES, WAN AND
PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE -8

NOES- 0

ABSENT- 0

ABSTENTION- 0

ATTEST:



CEDA FLOYD

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