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MEMORANDUM

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR &
CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Erin Roseman
Director of Finance

SUBJECT: Slavery Era Disclosure Annual Report

DATE: February 27, 2023

City Administrator
Approval

Date: Feb 28, 2023

INFORMATION

In 2005, the Oakland City Council enacted the “City of Oakland Slavery Era Disclosure Ordinance” (“Ordinance”), codified as [Chapter 9.60 of Title 9 of the Oakland Municipal Code](#). Oakland’s Ordinance was adopted to promote the full and accurate disclosure to the public of the scope of historical ties to slavery within Oakland and to establish a fund to which contractors subject to the Ordinance, and others, can make voluntary contributions to “promote healing and assist in remedying” the present-day legacy of slavery. The Ordinance requires an annual report to City Council to provide the information collected via affidavits and identify all fund recipients.

This informational memo serves as the annual report to City Council on affidavits received, funds received, and funds disbursed. To date, the Slavery Era Disclosure Affidavit Schedule is still being finalized and has not yet been sent to vendors. No additional Slavery Era Disclosure Affidavits have been received since the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance Informational Memorandum was distributed on April 13, 2022. To date the Slavery Era Disclosure Fund (Fund 2422) has not collected any deposits and has a \$0 fund balance. As such, no disbursements have been made.

Respectfully submitted,

Erin Roseman
Director of Finance

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