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Oakland City Hall
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REVISED (04/16/2024)

Closed Session Agenda

Thursday, April 18, 2024
1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Oakland City Hall, Hearing Room 4
One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Second Floor
Oakland, California

Pursuant to California Government Code § 54953:

Councilmember Rebecca Kaplan Will Participate By Teleconference at
11 Embarcadero West, Oakland, California 94607¹

Councilmember Janani Ramachandran Will Participate By Teleconference at
676 Brooklyn Avenue, Oakland, California 94606¹

Special Closed Session of the Oakland City Council and **Oakland Redevelopment Successor Agency**

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The Council will convene in open session prior to adjourning into closed session and hear public speakers on the agenda items.

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PUBLIC COMMENTS:

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**THE OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL AND
OAKLAND REDEVELOPMENT SUCCESSOR AGENCY
WILL HOLD A SPECIAL CLOSED SESSION ON
THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 2024 FROM 1:30 P.M. TO 4:30 P.M.
OAKLAND CITY HALL HEARING ROOM 4**

The City Council Will Convene in Open Session prior to Adjourning into Closed Session and Pursuant to Government Code section 54957.1(b) will Report-Out Any Final Decisions in Writing after Concluding Closed Session

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1. Pursuant to California Government Code Section(s) 54956.9(a) and 54956.9(d)(1):

CONFERENCE WITH CITY ATTORNEY – EXISTING LITIGATION

a) Marleen L. Sacks, Alameda County Taxpayers' Association v. City of Oakland, Oakland Police Commission, John Alden, Ed Reiskin, Libby Schaaf and DOES 1-5

Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG20078708

b) Tyfahra Milele, David Jordan, and Ginale Harris v. James B Chanin, City of Oakland, Oakland Police Commission Selection Panel, Nikki Fortunato Bas, and Does 1-25, inclusive

Alameda County Superior Court Case No. 23CV038479

c) Troy Allen Russell and Eugenia Maria Russell v. Kathleen Ann Zitani, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, Department of Transportation (CalTrans) and Does 1 to 25

Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG18916045

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d) **Mildred L. Oliver v. City of Oakland, Oakland Police Department, and DOES 1 to 25, inclusive**

Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG19007799

e) **Retired Oakland Police Officers Association, et al. v. Oakland Police and Fire Retirement System, et al.**

Alameda County Superior Court Case No. RG16838274

2. **Pursuant to California Government Code Section(s) 54956.9(a), 54956.9(d)(4) and 54956.9(e)(3):**

CONFERENCE WITH CITY ATTORNEY – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION

Two (2) items of anticipated litigation

Respectfully submitted,



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