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**OAKLAND UNIFIED
SCHOOL DISTRICT**
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To Board of Education
From Kyla Johnson-Trammell, Superintendent
Tara Gard, Chief Talent Officer, Talent Division
Meeting Date March 22, 2023
Subject Designation/Selection of Oakland Unified School District 2022-2023 Classified School Employees of the Year – Talent/Human Resources Department

Ask of the Board Adoption by the Board of Education of Resolution No. 2223-0111 - Designation/Selection of Oakland Unified School District's 2022-2023 Classified School Employees of the Year – Talent/Human Resources Department.

Employee	Category
Mladie Thomas-Alexander	Paraprofessional
Sandra Burton	Clerical & Administrative Services
Cecilia Franco	Food & Nutrition Services
Jason Dixon	Custodial & Maintenance Services
Martha Flores	Security Services
Venus Doctorello-Mesui	Health and Student Services
Belinda Campbell	Technical Services

Background Annually the District identifies and honors its own, and OUSD’s Classified School Employees of the Year program aligns with the criteria used by the State of California Classified School Employees of the Year program.

Discussion The purpose is to recognize and pay special tribute to the tireless efforts and outstanding performance of one experienced classified line employee in each of seven categories: Paraprofessional, Clerical & Administrative Services, Food & Nutrition Services, Custodial & Maintenance Services, Security Services, Health & Student Services, and Technical Services. The District's seven honorees are in turn submitted to the Alameda County Office of Education in consideration of state Classified School Employees of the Year.

As Superintendent, the Classified School Employees of the Year Selection Team

has recommended to me that Mladie Thomas-Alexander, Sandra Burton, Cecilia Franco, Jason Dixon, Martha Flores, Venus Doctorello-Mesui, and Belinda Campbell, each, be recognized by the Board of Education as OUSD Classified School Employees of the Year for 2022-2023. I have accepted the recommendations made by the selection team and request that the Board of Education select and designate Mladie Thomas-Alexander, Sandra Burton, Cecilia Franco, Jason Dixon, Martha Flores, Venus Doctorello-Mesui, and Belinda Campbell, each, as the District's 2022-2023 "Classified School Employees of the Year."

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**RESOLUTION
OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
OF THE
OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Resolution No. 2223-0111**

- Designation/Selection - Oakland Unified School District - 2022-2023 Classified School Employees of the Year - Talent/Human Resources Department -

WHEREAS, the goal of the District’s Classified School Employees of the Year program is to identify and honor outstanding classified line employees in each of seven categories: Paraprofessional, Clerical & Administrative Services, Food & Nutrition Services, Custodial & Maintenance Services, Security Services, Health & Student Services, and Technical Services, and

WHEREAS, each year the District will select seven employees as “Classified School Employees of the Year” and these employees may represent the District in the State of California Classified School Employees of the Year competition, and:

WHEREAS, the District’s Classified School Employees of the Year selection team received and considered nominations for District’s 2022-2023 Classified School Employees of the Year, and:

WHEREAS – the Classified School Employee of the Year selection team has recommended to Superintendent Kyla Johnson-Trammell that Mladie Thomas-Alexander, Sandra Burton, Cecilia Franco, Jason Dixon, Martha Flores, Venus Doctorello-Mesui, and Belinda Campbell, each, be recommended to the Board of Education for selection as Oakland Unified School District's 2022-2023 "Classified School Employees of the Year";

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation Superintendent Kyla Johnson-Trammell and the Classified School Employee of the Year selection team, that the Board of Education of the Oakland Unified School District hereby select and designates the following, for exceptional service to the students of the District, each, as Oakland Unified School District’s 2022-2023 “Classified School Employees of the Year.”

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Mladie Thomas-Alexander	Paraprofessional
Sandra Burton	Clerical & Administrative Services
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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education shall honor said employees at its April 12, 2023, regular board meeting.

Passed by the following vote:

PREFERENTIAL AYE: None

PREFERENTIAL NOE: None

PREFERENTIAL ABSTENTION: None

PREFERENTIAL RECUSE: None

AYES: VanCedric Williams, Valerie Bachelor, Clifford Thompson, Benjamin "Sam" Davis , Vice President Clifford Thompson, President Mike Hutchinson

NOES: None

ABSTAINED: None

RECUSE: None

ABSENT: Student Director Le, Student Director Gallegos

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a Resolution passed at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Oakland Unified School District held March 22, 2023.

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Mike Hutchinson
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Kyla Johnson-Trammell
Superintendent and Secretary, Board of Education