



**ATTENTION TO  
PERSONS STAYING OVERNIGHT IN FRANK OGAWA PLAZA  
Date: October 24, 2011**

**NOTICE OF VIOLATIONS  
AND  
DEMAND TO CEASE VIOLATIONS**

The City of Oakland and its police department support and protect the right of all individuals to engage in free speech and their right to assemble. However, this encampment is a violation of the law.

You do not have permission to lodge overnight in Frank Ogawa Plaza. You must remove all tents, sleeping bags, tarps, cooking facilities and equipment and any other lodging material from the Plaza immediately. Your continued use of the Plaza for overnight lodging will subject you to arrest.

Your activities are injurious to health, obstruct the free use of property, interfering with the comfortable enjoyment of the Plaza, and unlawfully obstruct the free passage or use of a public park or square. (California Penal Code sections 370 and 647(e) and Civil Code section 3479.) You must allow all persons, including Oakland Police officers and other emergency personnel, access to all areas of the Plaza at all times.

You are making fires in a public park in violation of OMC 12.64.160. You must remove all barbecues and stoves.

**YOUR CONTINUED VIOLATION OF THESE LAWS WILL SUBJECT YOU TO ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES, CIVIL PENALTIES, CITATION, AND IMMEDIATE ARREST.**

**YOUR CONTINUED VIOLATION OF THE LAW WILL SUBJECT YOUR TENTS, STOVES, SLEEPING BAGS, TARPS, AND ANY OTHER BELONGINGS LEFT IN THE PLAZA TO IMMEDIATE REMOVAL FROM THE PLAZA BY THE CITY OF OAKLAND.**