

ORDINANCE No. 184197

* Dedicate funds for shelter and services for victims of human trafficking (Ordinance; amend Code Chapter 14B.50)

The City of Portland Ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Victims of human trafficking are exploited and coerced into the commercial sex industry and into forced servitude.
2. According to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, human trafficking is the second largest and fastest growing criminal industry in the world.
3. The average age of entry into prostitution is 12 years old.
4. Portland Police report an average of five cases of human trafficking each week, half of which are juveniles.
5. Oregon Department of Human Services and the Portland Police Bureau have currently identified 100-130 juveniles as suspected or confirmed victims of human trafficking.
6. City Code 14B.50.030 classifies both parties engaged in prostitution as equally culpable and does not recognize that persons offering or agreeing to prostitution, especially juveniles, are often coerced into these acts and are victims of trafficking and commercial sexual exploitation.
7. City Council seeks to exclude victims of exploitation from City Forfeiture Code 14B.50.010.
8. City Council approved Ordinance No. 36818 to review Police forfeitures that are alleged to represent the profits and proceeds of a crime or which were used to facilitate a crime
9. Per City Code 14B.50, any property used to commit, compel, or promote Prostitution is subject to seizure.
10. According to Portland Police Bureau, a pimp will earn \$800-\$1000 a day from exploiting one child.
11. The Council recognizes the lack of options and resources for victims.
12. The Council wishes to dedicate a fund from forfeiture seizures whose proceeds shall be directed towards services for victims of human trafficking.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. City Code Chapter 14B.50 Forfeiture is amended, as provided in Exhibit A.
- b. The Police Bureau shall include an accounting for the total proceeds collected which arise out of the prohibited conduct as defined by 14B.50.030 and the expenditures of those proceeds annually during the City budget process.

Section 2. The Council declares an emergency exists because delay in proceeding with this grant agreement will unnecessarily deprive victims of human trafficking the services they require. Therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: OCT 27 2010

Commissioner Dan Saltzman
Commissioner Amanda Fritz
Mayor Sam Adams

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

By



Deputy

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Date Prepared: Oct 25, 2010

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COMMISSIONER APPROVAL Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams <i>(Signature)</i> Position 1/Utilities - Fritz <i>T. Boyce</i> Position 2/Works - Fish <i>(Signature)</i> Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman <i>(Signature)</i> Position 4/Safety - Leonard	LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland By: <i>(Signature)</i> Deputy ACTION TAKEN:
BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: Bureau Head:	
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Financial Impact Statement Completed <input type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Council Meeting Date Oct. 27, 2010	
City Attorney Approval <i>(Signature)</i>	

AGENDA
TIME CERTAIN <input type="checkbox"/> Start time: _____ Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)
CONSENT <input type="checkbox"/>
REGULAR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total amount of time needed: 25 (for presentation, testimony and discussion)

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	✓	
2. Fish	2. Fish	✓	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	✓	
4. Leonard	4. Leonard	✓	
Adams	Adams	✓	