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ORDINANCE No.

Update Bureau of Environmental Services Drainage Rates and Charges Fee Schedule to establish application and appeal fees for evaluation of manufactured stormwater treatment technologies (Ordinance).

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. The City of Portland has an established stormwater management program, which requires pollutant reduction as per the City's Stormwater Management Manual (SWMM).
2. For sites or areas that must meet specific water quality standards, manufactured stormwater treatment technologies (also known as proprietary treatment devices) can be an important component in meeting pollution reduction requirements and discharge limits.
3. The City of Portland encourages innovation and flexibility in meeting environmental and regulatory requirements.
4. The SWMM requires pre-approval of manufactured stormwater treatment technologies prior to use in individual projects through an application and evaluation process.
5. The City of Portland maintains a list of approved manufactured stormwater treatment technologies that meet Portland's pollution reduction requirements.
6. The current standards for evaluation of manufactured stormwater treatment technologies are being revised as part of the 2014 SWMM revision to incorporate current best practices and to provide better transparency and accountability for stormwater treatment technologies approved for use within Portland.
7. The revised standards propose an Intergovernmental Agreement with Portland State University to provide neutral third party review of manufactured stormwater treatment technologies developed by private companies.
8. The cost for evaluating manufactured stormwater treatment technologies is \$8,000 per device and will be paid as an application fee by vendors of manufactured stormwater treatment technologies.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Stormwater Treatment Technology application fee of \$8,000 shall be established and effective January 1, 2014.

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- b. The Stormwater Treatment Technology appeal fee of \$250 shall be established and effective January 1, 2014.
- c. The updated Bureau of Environmental Services Sewer and Drainage Rates and Charges Fee Schedule listed as Exhibit A will be effective January 1, 2014.
- d. Exhibit A of this ordinance is binding City Policy.

Passed by the Council,
Commissioner Nick Fish

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[Amber Clayton]
[October 11, 2013]

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LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

By



Deputy

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BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: Environmental Services Bureau Head/Dean Marriot <i>Demans</i>	ACTION TAKEN: NOV 13 2013 PASSED TO SECOND READING NOV 20 2013 9:30 A.M.
Prepared by: Amber Clayton Date Prepared: October 11, 2013	
Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>EM</i>	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
City Auditor Office Approval:	
City Attorney Approval:	
Council Meeting Date November 6, 2013 November 13, 2013	

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