183488 **ORDINANCE** No.

*Pay claim of Mesina Lunz. (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. Mesina Lunz has filed a bodily injury lawsuit against the City for damages suffered in an accident at the Park Bureau's Wilson Pool on August 14, 2007.
- 2. The claim has been investigated by Risk Management Services. The investigation indicates there is risk the City may be found liable. Therefore, in order to avoid the risk of an adverse jury award, we feel it is prudent to compromise the lawsuit at this time.
- 3. Risk Management Services recommends the lawsuit be compromised for the total sum of \$18,232.00, (inclusive of the \$1,232.00 previously advanced by Risk Management) subject to the claimant providing the City with a release in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- The Mayor and the Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver a check a. in the amount of \$17,000.00 made payable to Mesina Lunz and Steve Milla Attorney at Law.
- b. Risk Management Services will execute a payment authorization in the amount set forth in sub-paragraph (a) above.
- The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to avoid undue and costly Section 2. delay in settling this lawsuit; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

JAN 27 2010 Passed by the Council,

Mayor Sam Adams Prepared by Mark Stairiker Date prepared: January 13, 2010

LaVONNE GRIFFIN-VALDE Auditor of the City of Portland By Juran Tauro Deputy

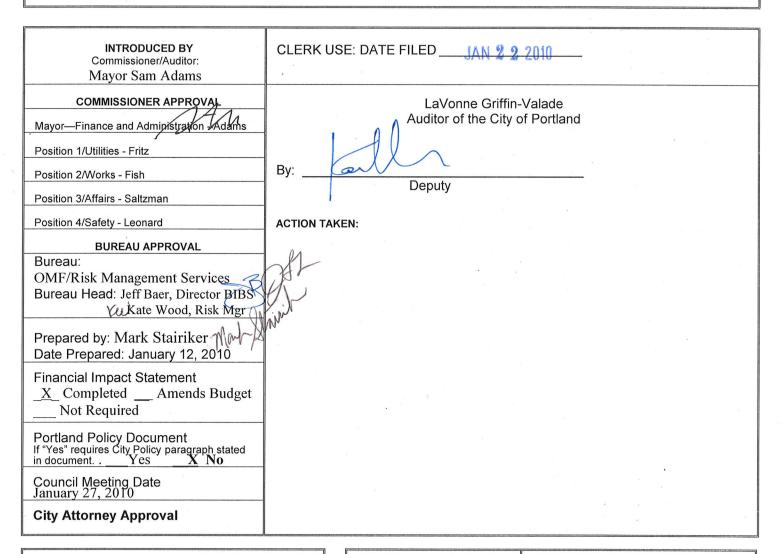
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		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	~	
2. Fish	2. Fish	~	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	~	
4. Leonard	4. Leonard	~	
Adams	Adams		

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