ORDINANCE No. 183581

* Authorize a grant agreement with the Journeys Foundation for Spring Break 2010 youth program (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. The City of Portland recognizes the need to address youth violence problems in a way that respects all members of the community and uses comprehensive, best-practice solutions.
- 2. The City of Portland recognizes that a large number of youth may be lacking productive programming and recreational activities during the time periods in which school is not in session.
- 3. The City of Portland recognizes the need for such activities due the closing of programs and places that provided youth with a safe, positive place to gather. Recognized also is that diminished resources have resulted in closure and or severe cutbacks in programs and services of grassroots community-based organizations that serve at risk youth.
- 4. To this end Commissioner Dan Saltzman and the Office of youth Violence Prevention are committed to making resources available to at-risk youth in Portland for positive, structured and engaging activities during specified out-of-school times. Within the scope of youth to be served by grant funds are: youth ages 13 to 21, and /or youth who have had contact with the juvenile justice system, and / or youth who are pregnant or parenting, and / or youth who are in foster care or who have aged out of foster care, and / or school dropouts who are not engaged in GED or Diploma programs, and / or youth not currently engaged in programming.
- 5. In January of 2009, the City of Portland's Office of Youth Violence Prevention (OYVP) created a Request for Grant (RFG) seeking proposals from private non-profit organizations for the offering of recreational, cultural enrichment and mentoring programming to Portland youth during the spring break time period for 2010, March 20 through March 28, 2010. The total sum to be made available under this RFG was identified as \$20,000, with multiple grant awards to be intended.
- 6. A mandatory bidder's conference to assist organizations applying for grant funds was hosted by the OYVP on January 15, 2009. Representatives from 39 service organizations attended.
- 7. On the grant application deadline, January 22, 2009, 19 service organizations had submitted grant requests.
- 8. At the end of the evaluation process using the combined scoring total of grant request application criteria to include, project approach, team organization and experience the Journeys Foundation was selected to receive grant funding in the amount of \$5000.
- 9. The Journeys Foundation will be providing 5 days of structured athletic fundamentals training while being transported round trip each day from Portland's inner city to a sports

facility. Participating youth will receive instruction from college playing level instructors, information from special guest speakers, 2 meals per day and instruction on the use of academic and athletic skill for future success.

- 10. This program will provide programming for 29 at risk youth ages 13 and 14 years old, residing in inner city Portland. The youth to be served have been previously identified by Journeys Foundation as having immeasurable barriers in their lives, to include a lack of supervision, poor grades and economic hardship.
- 11. The Journeys Foundation at the conclusion of the stated program will submit an outcome report to the City of Portland to include the demographics of youth served, description of activities offered and the results of a program.
- 12. The Journeys Foundation and the City of Portland will sign a grant agreement that specifies the scope of the project to be conducted by the grantee and the schedule of funds disbursement. A sample grant agreement is attached as Exhibit A.

Now therefore the Council directs:

- a. The City of Portland designates and authorizes the funding contained in this ordinance to be a grant. The Commissioner of Public Affairs is authorized, on behalf of the City, to enter into a Grant Agreement with the Journeys Foundation as substantially set forth in Exhibit A attached to this ordinance.
- b. The funds will come from the Office of Youth Violence Prevention funds currently administered by the Office of Commissioner Dan Saltzman.
- c. The Mayor and Auditor are authorized to draw and deliver a check in the amount of \$5000 which is chargeable to the FY 2009-10 General Fund budget.

Section 2: The Council declares that an emergency exists because delay in executing this grant agreement may effect the grantee's ability to deliver the services delineated in the grant; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council MAR 0 3 2010

LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland

By Suran Panpour

Commissioner Dan Saltzman Prepared by: Tom Peavey February 16, 2010

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