## ORDINANCE No. 184040

\* Authorize a grant to provide the Portland Schools Foundation \$100,000 for support of strategic efforts to meet the goal of reducing the drop out rate by half by 2013 (Ordinance)

## The City of Portland ordains:

## Section 1. The Council finds that:

- 1. The City of Portland recognizes that the city's future economic and social wellbeing are dependent upon ensuring a strong education foundation for all our city's youth; and
- 2. The City of Portland is concerned about the number of students dropping out of high school, with only 51%-65% of local students graduating on time; and
- 3. The City recognizes the mission of the Portland Schools Foundation to catalyze the support needed to assure a world-class education for all Portland students, and further recognizes the need for this crucial work to be sustained; and
- 4. On September 2, 2009, Council unanimously approved Ordinance #183160 authorizing a grant of \$100,000 to the Portland Schools Foundation to support its efforts to reduce the drop out rate; and
- 5. The Portland Schools Foundation is a central partner in the strategic efforts of the Portland Multnomah Education Cabinet, whose goal is to cut the local drop out rate in half by 2013, as per the substantially similar grant agreement in Exhibit A.

## NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Mayor is authorized to enter into a Grant Agreement, as outlined in form substantially in accordance with the agreement attached as Exhibit A, at a cost not to exceed \$100,000.
- b. The Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver payment chargeable to the Fiscal Year 2010-11 Adopted Budget.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because any delay in providing grant funding to Portland Schools Foundation would harm the public interest; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: AUG 11 2010

Mayor Sam Adams

Prepared by: Reese Lord Date Prepared: August 5, 2010 LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Sam Adams	CLERK USE: DATE FILED AUG 0 6 2010
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL  Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams  Position 1/Utilities - Fritz  Position 2/Works - Fish  Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman	LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland  By:  Deputy
Position 4/Safety - Leonard	ACTION TAKEN:
BUREAU APPROVAL  Bureau: Office of the Mayor  Bureau Head:  Prepared by: Reese Lord	
Date Prepared: August 3, 2010	
Financial Impact Statement Completed Amends Budget  Not Required	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes No	
Council Meeting Date August 11, 2010	
City Attorney Approval	

AGENDA			
TIME CERTAIN Start time:			
Total amount of time needed:(for presentation, testimony and discussion)			
<u>CONSENT</u> ⊠			
REGULAR  Total amount of time needed: (for presentation, testimony and discussion)			

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
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1. Fritz	1. Fritz		
2. Fish	2. Fish	V	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	~	
4. Leonard	4. Leonard	V	
Adams	Adams	V	