

ORDINANCE No. 184053

*Authorize grant application for up to \$100,000 from Hunger Free Communities Grant program administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture as part of the Food, Conservation and Energy Act of 2008 (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds that:

1. The purpose of the HFCG Program is to establish hunger-free communities in the United States.
2. The Hunger Free Communities Grant (HFCG) program aims to assess food security and foster innovative solutions to ending hunger in communities through out the United States.
3. The USDA has issued a funding opportunity announcement for Planning and Assessment grants and the Bureau of Planning and Sustainability (BPS) will apply for up to \$100,000, the maximum amount that may be awarded to a local entity through the HFCG Program.
4. Funding from the HFCG Program will allow BPS, in partnership with Multnomah County and other local partners, to implement a community food assessment in order to assess hunger and food insecurity in Portland and create a plan to become hunger-free.
5. Portland's HFCG application will build on, and expand, the existing Portland Plan process, Multnomah County community health plans, BPS's Sustainable Food Policy and Programs work, past grassroots community food assessments, and non-profit projects in underserved communities throughout Portland. The application will also outline innovative program models to strengthen the local food system in Portland.
6. The HFCG Program requires the City to leverage funds of up to 20% of total project costs. The USDA considers leveraging to include building owner contributions, partner contributions, in-kind contributions, project revenues or staffing. The leveraged funds will be secured: (a) through existing resources and local partners prior to submitting the HFCG grant application; (b) during the course of the two-year term of any grant awarded; and, (c) through longer-term investment strategies with local partners.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Bureau of Planning and Sustainability is authorized to apply for up to \$100,000 from the Hunger Free Communities Grant (EECGB) competitive funding program administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture as part of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008.
- b. The Bureau of Planning and Sustainability is authorized to provide such information and assurances as are required for the grant period.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because delay in proceeding with this grant application may result in not receiving funding; therefore, this ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: **AUG 18 2010**

Mayor Sam Adams
Prepared by: Steve Cohen
August 18, 2010

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

By

Emily Malasen

Deputy

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INTRODUCED BY
Commissioner/Auditor:
Sam Adams
Mayor-Finance and
Administration

CLERK USE: DATE FILED

COMMISSIONER APPROVAL

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams

Position 1/Utilities - Fritz

Position 2/Works - Fish

Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman

Position 4/Safety - Leonard

By:

Deputy

BUREAU APPROVAL

Bureau: Planning and Sustainability
Bureau Head: Susan Anderson

Prepared by: Steve Cohen
Date Prepared: August 5, 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 18, 2010

City Attorney Approval
MEM

ACTION TAKEN:

AGENDA

TIME CERTAIN

Start time: _____

Total amount of time needed: _____
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

CONSENT

REGULAR

Total amount of time needed: _____
(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	✓	