ORDINANCE No. 184340

*Authorize application to East Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District for a grant in the amount of $60,000 for Mt Tabor Park Invasive Plant Control and Revegetation Project (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1.   The Council finds:

1.   Water quality and watershed management is a key concern for the Portland Region in general and for the Bureau of Environmental Services in particular.

2.   The Mt Tabor Park Invasive Plant Control and Revegetation Project is a multi-year project to restore a healthy native forest community. The project is part of BES's Tabor to the River Program and is a partnership between BES, Portland Parks and Recreation, and the Portland Water Bureau. The project will remove non-native, invasive vegetation, restore native trees, shrubs and grasses and control erosion on 38 acres of natural areas. Removing invasive plants and planting native plants in Mt. Tabor Park will enhance watershed health by improving stormwater management and habitat, just as Tabor to the River green streets do in urban areas.

3.   BES is preparing a grant application to submit to EMSWCD requesting funds in the amount of $60,000 for restoration and enhancement work at Mt Tabor.

4.   Local match in the amount of $60,000 will be provided in the form of salary, benefits, volunteer hours and services in the FY 2011/12 and FY 2012/13 proposed budgets of the Bureau of Environmental Services. Matching funds are available in the Sewer System Operating Fund, Bureau of Environmental Services, ESEN000023/PUWSWR0000.

NOW, THEREFORE, the council directs:

a.   The Mayor is hereby authorized to make an application to EMSWCD for a grant in the amount of $60,000.

b.   The Mayor is authorized to provide such information and assurances as are required for the grant period.

c.   The OMF Grants Office is authorized to perform all administrative matters in relation to the grant application, grant agreement or amendments, requests for reimbursement from the grantor, and to submit required online grant documents on the Mayor's behalf.

Section 2.   The Council declares that an emergency exists since the application must be delivered by January 14, 2011. Therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council,
Dan Saltzman
Commissioner of Public Affairs .

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LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland
By

Deputy

[Andi Gresh]
[December 20, 2010]

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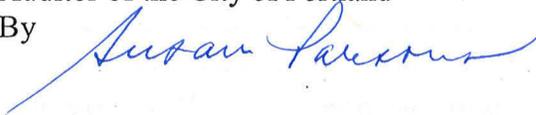
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INTRODUCED BY
Commissioner/Auditor:
Saltzman

COMMISSIONER APPROVAL

Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams

Position 1/Utilities - Fritz

Position 2/Works - Fish

Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman

Position 4/Safety - Leonard
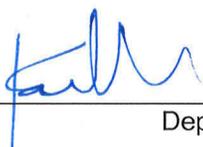
BUREAU APPROVAL

Bureau: Environmental Services
Bureau Head: Dean Marriott

Prepared by: Andi Gresh
Date Prepared: December 20, 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
January 5, 2011

City Attorney Approval

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By: _____
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CONSENT ☒
REGULAR ☐
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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. Leonard	4. Leonard	✓	
Adams	Adams	✓	