

## Ordinance No. 185027

\* Authorize application to IBM Smarter Cities Challenge for a grant to provide professional services to help the City deliver a more effective strategy to better address equity in the delivery of city services and public spending. (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. In 2010 IBM Corporation created a competitive grant to help worldwide cities address critical challenges. Over a 3-year period IBM intends to award \$50 million worth of professional expertise to help cities around the world address topics ranging from urban agriculture to public safety.
2. As part of the Moving Cities Forward community, IBM contributes time and expertise of experts who donate their time to work closely with community leaders to develop data-driven strategies to improve delivery of public services despite limited resources.
3. Working with partners at Portland State University and the City of Portland Office of Management and Finance (OMF), the City through the Bureau of Planning and Sustainability (BPS) intends to submit an Internet application to IBM Smarter Cities Challenge. The City's proposal is to develop a strategy to address equity in the delivery of city services and public spending by better distinguishing equity among maintenance of existing systems, creation of new programs and strategic investments. This potential collaboration with IBM is intended to more clearly identify equity with respect to delivery of city services so that policies and actions yield benefits for citizens in multiple focus areas.
4. IBM will provide no direct funding, and there is no match required from the City beyond existing budgeted staff time in FY 11-12.

NOW THEREFORE, The Council directs:

- a. The Mayor is hereby authorized to submit an application and letter of support to the IBM Smarter Cities Challenge Grant program for professional services and technological tools to assist the city deliver policies and actions and better identify disparities among different demographic groups in the city so as to potentially better address equity in the city.
- b. The Mayor 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 the Internet grant application must be submitted no later than December 16, 2011. Therefore this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: DEC 07 2011

Mayor Sam Adams

Prepared by: Radcliffe Dacanay

Date Prepared: November 16, 2011

**LaVonne Griffin-Valade**

Auditor of the City of Portland

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<b>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</b> Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams <i>[Signature]</i> Position 1/Utilities - Fritz Position 2/Works - Fish Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman Position 4/Safety - Leonard	LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland  By: <i>[Signature]</i> Deputy  <b>ACTION TAKEN:</b>
<b>BUREAU APPROVAL</b> Bureau: Planning and Sustainability Bureau Head: Susan Anderson <i>[Signature]</i> Prepared by: Radcliffe Dacanay Date Prepared: Nov. 21, 2011 Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/> Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Council Meeting Date <b>Dec. 7, 2011</b> City Attorney Approval: <i>OK for LM</i> required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter	

<b>AGENDA</b>
<b>TIME CERTAIN</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Start time: _____  Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)
<b>CONSENT</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>REGULAR</b> <input type="checkbox"/> 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	✓	