

ORDINANCE No. 185662

* Authorize application to United States Fish & Wildlife Service for a grant in the amount of \$50,000 for Crystal Springs Culvert Replacement Designs (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 (BES) in particular.
2. In 2007, the City launched the Grey to Green Initiative (G2G), aimed at accelerating the implementation of the Portland Watershed Management Plan. G2G focuses on seven key components. Most pertinent to this proposal are the removal and/or repair of nine fish barrier culverts, the acquisition of over 400 acres of land, and invasive species removal, among other focal areas that add up to a \$150 million effort. Of the \$50 million earmarked by the City Council, \$2 million were specifically targeted to the culvert effort. After an exhaustive inventory, ranking and review by a steering committee comprised of professional representatives from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's (NOAA) National Marine Fisheries Service, the US Fish and Wildlife Service, the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, the Johnson Creek Watershed Council, and the Portland Bureaus of Transportation, Parks and Recreation, and Environmental Services, the City selected the nine fish barrier culverts in Crystal Springs as the top priority for replacement.
3. USFWS, through its National Fish Passage Program, funds restoration of native fish and other aquatic species to self-sustaining levels by reconnecting habitat that has been fragmented by barriers. The Fish Passage Program uses a non-regulatory approach to remove barriers and build structures to improve fish passage. All projects are voluntary and are done in cooperation with willing partners. BES is preparing a grant application to submit to USFWS requesting funds in the amount of \$50,000 for culvert removal and habitat restoration design work for the Glenwood and Bybee culverts, two of nine fish barrier culverts along Crystal Springs.
4. Local match in the amount of \$100,000 will be provided in the form of salary, benefits, materials and services in the FY 2012/13 budget of the Bureau of Environmental Services. Matching funds are available in the Sewer System Operating Fund, Bureau of Environmental Services, WBS element E10372.

NOW, THEREFORE, the council directs:

- a. The Mayor is hereby authorized to make application to the USFWS for a grant in the amount of \$50,000.
- 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 September 14, 2012. Therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council, OCT 04 2012
Dan Saltzman
Commissioner of Public Affairs

[Andi Gresh]
September 14, 2012]
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LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland
By



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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: <i>Saltzman</i>	CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>SEP 28 2012</u>
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams 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: <u><i>[Signature]</i></u> Deputy ACTION TAKEN:
BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: Environmental Services Bureau Head: Dean Marriott Prepared by: <i>Andi Gresh</i> Date Prepared: September 13, 2012	
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 October 03, 2012	
City Attorney Approval <i>[Signature]</i>	

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

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