IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: Extend term of a franchise granted to Electric Lightwave, Inc to build and operate telecommunication facilities within City streets (Ordinance; amend Ordinance No. 170283)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

In 1996, Council approved a franchise for Electric Lightwave, Inc. to maintain a telecommunication system in the City. City staff is currently negotiating a renewal franchise with Electric Lightwave, Inc. City staff recommends that the Council extend the existing franchise through December 31, 2018 to allow parties time to complete negotiations and to complete the formal franchising process required by the Portland City Charter.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

The City will continue to receive franchise fees for use of the right of way from Electric Lightwave, Inc.

Community impacts and community involvement:

N/A

Budgetary Impact Worksheet

Does this action change appropriations?

YES: Please complete the information below.

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