

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: Extend term of a franchise granted to McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. to build and operate telecommunication facilities within City streets (Ordinance; amend Ordinance No. 175061)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

In 2000, Council approved a franchise for McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. to maintain a telecommunication system in the City. City staff is currently negotiating a renewal franchise with McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, 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 McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc.

Community impacts and community involvement:

N/A

Budgetary Impact Worksheet

Does this action change appropriations?

- YES: Please complete the information below.
- NO: Skip this section

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount