

ORDINANCE No.

188155

*Pay claim of Emily Johnson Purry in the sum of \$250,000 involving Portland Parks and Recreation. (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Emily Johnson Purry has filed a bodily injury lawsuit against the City for damages suffered from a fall while jogging at Waterfront Park on July 16, 2009.
2. The claim has been investigated by Risk Management Services. The investigation indicates there is risk the City may be found liable. Therefore, in order to avoid the risk of an adverse jury award, we feel it is prudent to compromise the lawsuit at this time.
3. Risk Management Services recommends the lawsuit be compromised for the total sum of \$250,000.00, subject to the claimant providing the City with a release in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Mayor and the Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver a check in the amount of \$250,000.00 made payable to Emily Johnson Purry and Landye Bennett Blumstein, LLP.
- b. Risk Management Services will execute a payment authorization in the amount set forth in sub-paragraph (a) above.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to avoid undue and costly delay in settling this lawsuit; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council,

DEC 21 2016

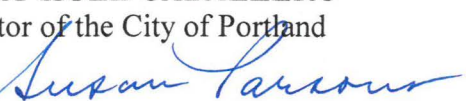
Mayor Charlie Hales
Prepared by Becky Chiao
Date prepared: December 12, 2016

MARY HULL CABALLERO

Auditor of the City of Portland

By

Deputy



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<p>INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Charlie Hales</p> <p>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL <i>[Signature]</i> Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales</p> <p>Position 1/Utilities - Fritz</p> <p>Position 2/Works - Fish</p> <p>Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman</p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Novick</p> <p>BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: OMF Bureau of Internal Business Services CAO: Fred Miller <i>[Signature]</i> Bureau Head: Bryant M. Enge <i>[Signature]</i> Risk Manager: Kate Wood <i>[Signature]</i></p> <p>Prepared by: Becky Chiao Date Prepared: December 12, 2016</p> <p>Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances</p> <p>City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter</p> <p>Council Meeting Date December 21, 2016</p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED DEC 13 2016</p> <p>Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By: <i>[Signature]</i> Deputy</p> <p>ACTION TAKEN:</p>
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AGENDA
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<p>REGULAR <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Total amount of time needed: (for presentation, testimony and discussion)</p>

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	✓	
2. Fish	2. Fish	✓	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	✓	
4. Novick	4. Novick	✓	
Hales	Hales	✓	