

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: * Authorize a Special Appropriation grant agreement with The Community Cycling Center in an amount not to exceed \$55,000.00 for The Bicycle Summer Camp for Children in East Portland (Ordinance)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

Community Cycling Center's Bicycle Summer Camp program, teaches children to map their neighborhoods, how to route to their local parks, and go on group rides to visit bike shops and businesses owned by local business leaders who represent East Portland; all in an effort to gain confidence in navigating the roads on bicycles. Campers will learn to work together as members of a team, develop friendships, while learning and experiencing independence. To my knowledge there has been no previous Council action directly related to this legislation.

From their application: "In the early years of the Cycling Center we were funded (by the City) to provide in-school bicycle safety education. Currently we are working in close partnership on Open-Streets initiatives and community based work. We currently serve over 700 children every summer. This Summer (2016), we conducted Bike Camps out of five locations including the Boys and Girls Club in New Columbia and Rigler Elementary School in Cully in partnership with Hacienda CDC. Through our Scholarship Program, over three dozen children attended camp at no cost to their families or guardians. Currently, we are unable to serve scholarships to youth in East Portland. Your partnership will allow us to provide full scholarships to children from low-income families in East Portland."

This legislation is consistent with Council's desire for equity and inclusion, resident satisfaction, educated youth, transit and active transportation, complete neighborhoods, healthier people and a safer city.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

Funding for this grant is available in the FY2016-17 budget in the General Fund Special Appropriations.

Community impacts and community involvement:

The Community Cycling Center operates the biggest bicycle Summer camp in the state of Oregon. Their vision is to build a vibrant community in which people from all backgrounds use bicycles to stay healthy and connected, regardless of their education or socio-economic status. Their goal is to break down barriers to bicycling for underserved communities and, ultimately, empowering kids, youth and adults to use bicycles to ride to school, to work and to ride for health and recreation.

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