## ORDINANCE No. 188360

\* Amend the City of Portland Employee Benefits Program to reflect necessary plan design changes as recommended by the Labor Management Benefits Committee and as administratively required by Bureau of Human Resources for the City self-insured and insured plan offerings beginning July 1, 2017 (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

## Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. The Office of Management and Finance, Bureau of Human Resources requires the continuing provision of employee health and welfare administration.
- 2. In order to maintain employee health and welfare benefits on behalf of employees, retirees, COBRA and other self-pay participants and their eligible dependents, and to maintain the Premium Payment Plan, Medical Expense Reimbursement Plan ("MERP"), and the Dependent Care Assistance Plan ("DCAP") providing Qualified Benefits on behalf of employees, and their eligible dependents it is deemed appropriate and necessary to amend and restate the 2017-2018 City of Portland Employee Benefits Program effective July 1, 2017 in a form that is substantially similar to the attached Exhibit A.
- 3. The Office of Management and Finance, Bureau of Human Resources has worked collaboratively with the LMBC on plan design recommendations for the City's self-insured plan, as modified within the City of Portland Employee Benefits Program.

The Health Fund Budgets for FY 2017-18 and the Payroll Clearing Fund include appropriations in support of the plan design reflected within the City of Portland Employee Benefits Program as identified above.

## NOW THEREFORE, the Council directs:

a. The Council hereby amends and restates the City of Portland Employee Benefits Program, effective July 1, 2017, in a form substantially similar to the attached Exhibit A. The Mayor and the Director of Human Resources are hereby authorized to execute the plan document and any amendments during the plan year as required by law.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to avoid undue and costly delay in providing benefits to plan participants; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by Council.

Passed by the Council: MAY 0 3 2017

Commissioner: Mayor Ted Wheeler Office of Management and Finance/BHR

Prepared by: Cathy Bless Date Prepared: April 10, 2017

Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland
By

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Wheeler	CLERK USE: DATE FILED APR 25 2017
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL  Mayor—Finance & Administration - Wheeler  Position 1/Utilities - Fritz  Position 2/Works - Fish  Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman	Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland  By:  Deputy
BUREAU APPROVAL  Bureau: BHR Bureau Head: Anna Kanwit  Prepared by: Cathy Bless Date Prepared:4-10-17	ACTION TAKEN:
Impact Statement Completed Amends Budget  City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances  City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code. easement, franchise, charter, Comp Plan  Council Meeting Date May 3, 2017	

AGENDA		
TIME CERTAIN  Start time:		
Total amount of time needed: (for presentation, testimony and discussion)		
CONSENT		
REGULAR		

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	<b>/</b>	
2. Fish	2. Fish		
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman		
4. Eudaly	4. Eudaly		
Wheeler	Wheeler		