

ORDINANCE No. 188500

* Authorize an application to Oregon Office of Emergency Management for a Hazard Mitigation Grant Program grant up to \$1,350,000 for Johnson Creek floodplain acquisition (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Authorized under Section 404 of the Stafford Act and administered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) provides grants to states and local governments to implement long-term hazard mitigation projects that reduce the loss of life and property due to natural disasters. Funding is available to Oregon due to the severe winter storms that occurred during December of 2016, which led to a federal natural disaster declaration.
2. Johnson Creek has flooded 40 times within the City of Portland in the last 75 years, damaging roads, homes and businesses.
3. BES applied to Oregon's Office of Emergency Management for HMGP grant funding opportunity #4258 in December 2016 but was unsuccessful. BES was invited to re-apply under this current HMGP grant funding opportunity #4296.
4. Funding from the HMGP will support implementation of the City of Portland's *Johnson Creek Restoration Plan* (JCRP, 2001), which calls for restoring natural resource functions to increase flood storage, improve fish and wildlife habitat, and enhance wetlands.
5. HMGP funds would be used to purchase land from willing sellers within JCRP target areas to mitigate nuisance flooding. Under the JCRP, the City has acquired over 150 acres of land and created over 260 acre-feet of flood storage, which has reduced the frequency of flooding of local roads, homes, and businesses.
6. The grant requires a 25% cost share of local match in the amount of up to \$450,000. If awarded this grant, City of Portland matching funds shall be in the form of salary, benefits, and capital outlay in the FY 2017-18 through FY 2019-2020 Proposed Budgets of the Sewer System Operating Fund, Bureau of Environmental Services, WBS Element E10040.

NOW THEREFORE, The Council directs:

- a. The Mayor is hereby authorized to make application to the Oregon Office of Emergency Management for a grant in an amount of up to \$1,350,000.
- b. The Mayor is authorized to provide such information and assurances as are required for the grant period.
- c. The Office of Management & Finance, Grants Management Division, is authorized to perform all administrative matters in relation to the grant application, grant agreement or amendments, requests for reimbursement from the grantor, and to submit required online grant documents on the Mayor's behalf.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because the grant application must be submitted no later than July 14, 2017. The funder has requested submittal of our application sooner than the deadline, if possible. Therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council,
Commissioner Nick Fish

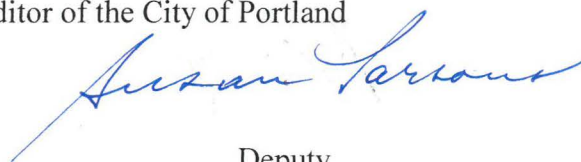
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[Andi Gresh]
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Mary Hull Caballero
Auditor of the City of Portland

By

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Deputy

Agenda No.
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INTRODUCED BY
Commissioner/Auditor:
FISH

COMMISSIONER APPROVAL

Mayor—Finance and Administration - Wheeler

Position 1/Utilities - Fritz *[Signature]*

Position 2/Works - Fish *[Signature]*

Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman

Position 4/Safety - Eudaly

BUREAU APPROVAL

Bureau: Environmental Services
Bureau Head: Michael Jordan *[Signature]*

Prepared by: Andi Gresh
Date Prepared: 06/02/2017

Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement
Completed Amends Budget

Portland Policy Document
If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document.
Yes No

City Auditor Office Approval:
required for Code Ordinances

City Attorney Approval: *[Signature]*
required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter

Council Meeting Date **06/28/2017**

CLERK USE: DATE FILED JUN 27 2017

Mary Hull Caballero
Auditor of the City of Portland

By: *[Signature]*
Deputy

ACTION TAKEN:

AGENDA

TIME CERTAIN
Start time: _____

Total amount of time needed: _____
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

CONSENT

REGULAR
Total amount of time needed: _____
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

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