### ORDINANCE No.

\*Pay settlement of Armando Olivas bodily injury lawsuit in the sum of \$65,000 involving the Bureau of Transportation (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

#### Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. Armando Olivas, through attorney Scott Kocher of the Forum Law Group, has filed a bodily injury lawsuit against the City for damages suffered in a bike accident involving the Bureau of Transportation on December 20, 2014.
- 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 \$65,000, 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 \$65,000 made payable to Forum Law Group LLC Client Trust Account.
- 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 bodily injury lawsuit; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council,

AUG 3 0 2017

Mayor Ted Wheeler
Prepared by Becky Chiao

Date prepared: August 8, 2017

MARY HULL CABALLERO

Auditor of the City of Portland

Deputy

## Agenda No.

# **ORDINANCE NO.** 188572

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Ted Wheeler	CLERK USE: DATE FILED AUG 22 2017
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL  Mayor—Finance and Administration - Wheeler  Position 1/Utilities - Fritz  Position 2/Works - Fish  Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman  Position 4/Safety - Eudaly  BUREAU APPROVAL  Bureau: OMF Bureau of Internal  Business Services  CAO: Tom Rinehart  Bureau Head: Bryant M. Enge ON  Risk Manager: Kate Wood  Prepared by: Becky Chiao  Date Prepared: August 8, 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: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter  Council Meeting Date:  August 30, 2017	Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland  By:  Deputy  ACTION TAKEN:
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2. Fish	2. Fish	~	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman		-
4. Eudaly	4. Eudaly	V	
Wheeler	Wheeler	V	