

## IMPACT STATEMENT

**Legislation title:** Authorize a contract with Squire Patton Boggs (US) LLP, for federal lobbying.

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**Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:**

This proposed legislation would authorize a contract with Squire Patton Boggs (US) LLP, for federal lobbying through August 31, 2020

**Financial and budgetary impacts:**

Squire Patton Boggs (US), LLP will be compensated at a rate of \$16,500 per month for the length of the contract. The Office of Government Relations budget for FY 2017-18 identifies sufficient funds for the contract.

In May 2017, the Office of Government Relations issued a request for proposals seeking responses from individuals or firms with demonstrated experience in federal government representation to cities similar in size and issues to the City of Portland. In July 2017, an evaluation committee selected the firm of Squire Patton Boggs (US), LLP. A Notice of Intent to Award was issued, and no protests were submitted.

**Community impacts and community involvement:**

The City advocates on policies and projects beneficial to the community (such as affordable housing, public safety, emergency preparedness, and infrastructure investment) to the Oregon congressional delegation, and the federal government.

**Budgetary Impact Worksheet**

**Does this action change appropriations?**

☐ **YES:** Please complete the information below.

☒ **NO:** Skip this section

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