

Portland Children's Levy Allocation Committee Accrued Revenue Funding Recommendations

November 1, 2017 – June 30, 2019

All Funding Decisions Made by Allocation Committee

- Dan Saltzman, City Commissioner
- Deborah Kafoury, Chair, Multnomah Co. Commission
- Julie S. Young, City-appointed rep
- Serena Stoudamire-Wesley, County-appointed rep
- Mitch Hornecker, Portland Business Associationappointed rep

Overview

- Voters overwhelmingly approved renewal of the 5-year Levy in May 2013.
- 95% of revenue to fund proven programs.
- Audited annually.
- Levy Goals:
 - Prepare children for school.
 - Support children's success inside and outside of school.
 - Reduce racial and ethnic disparities in children's well-being and school success.

Funding Process and Criteria

- Higher Levy revenue than originally projected
- Year-long process by Allocation Committee, several policy objectives
- Expand existing grants to serve more children
- Minimize new granting, impact on admin costs
- Prioritize effective programs
- Consideration of state funding impacts on Levy-funded services

Funding Allocations

Grantee	Grant Amount
 Community Childcare Initiative at Childcare Resource and Referral of Multnomah County (Mt Hood CC) Childcare affordability for working families Childcare quality support for in-home providers 	\$1.1 million
Albina Early Head Start • 1 Early Head Start classroom	\$250,000
Mt Hood CC Early Head Start • 1 Early Head Start classroom	\$250,000
Latino Network/Pilot: Community Education Worker Training Certificate • Pilot training for early childhood workforce	\$75,000
Grand total of Allocations	\$1,675,000









