

ORDINANCE No. 188780

*Authorize a grant agreement with College Possible not to exceed \$50,000 to provide intensive college access and success programming for low-income Portland students (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. College Possible is a non-profit corporation whose primary goal is to increase college graduation rates for low-income students by identifying low-income students interested in improving their chance of college completion and working with them to: increase their academic preparation and ACT/SAT scores, increase their understanding of the college admissions and financial aid processes, assist them in applying to college, assist and guide them in entering college, and supporting them as they work toward college degree completion.
2. College Possible's intensive college access and success programming for low-income Portland students program provides a core high school program, in which students participate in two-hour after-school sessions twice weekly. College Possible assigns each student an AmeriCorps member who acts as a coach. High school coaches are located full time at partner high schools Mondays through Thursdays. They are available for one-on-one guidance sessions during the school day and then lead group sessions for 10-15 students at a time after school. During the sessions, coaches lead students through copyrighted curriculum focused on key milestones on the path to college. After graduating from high school, students transition to College Possible's college program which provides mentorship and support to help students reach degree completion. Each student will be assigned a college coach that will use a combination of technology and campus-based support that targets key areas of preventable drop-out causes.
3. College Possible submitted a grant application for the FY2017-18 competitive special appropriation grants process and was selected as one of the seventeen to be awarded funding.
4. College Possible's mission is consistent with Council's desire for equity and inclusion, educated youth, prosperous households, growing business, job growth and healthier people.
5. The FY2017-18 Budget includes funding in the General Fund Special Appropriations for the above grant. The City now desires to make a grant to College Possible in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.

NOW THEREFORE, The Council directs:

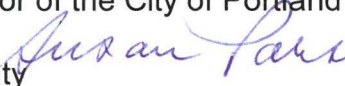
- a. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a grant agreement, as outlined in a form substantially in accordance with the agreement attached as Exhibit A, at a cost not to exceed \$50,000.00.
- b. The Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver payment chargeable to the Fiscal Year 2017-18 Budget.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because a delay would unnecessarily delay College Possible's ability to perform the activities authorized by the grant. Therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: JAN 24 2018

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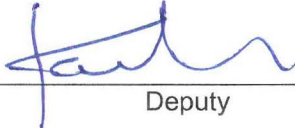
Commissioner Ted Wheeler
Prepared by: Craig Haynes
Date Prepared: January 10, 2018

Auditor of the City of Portland
By 
Deputy

Agenda No. **ORDINANCE NO. 188780**

Title

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Ted Wheeler	CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>JAN 16 2018</u>
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL	Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland
Mayor—Finance & Administration - Wheeler ✓	By:  Deputy
Position 1/Utilities - Fritz	
Position 2/Works - Fish	
Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman	
Position 4/Safety - Eudaly	ACTION TAKEN:
BUREAU APPROVAL	
Bureau: OMF OMF CAO: Tom Rinehart Bureau Head: Jennifer Cooperman	
Prepared by: Craig Haynes Date Prepared: January 10, 2018	
Impact Statement Completed <input type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/>	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances	
✓ City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter	
Council Meeting Date 01/24/2018	

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	1. Fritz ✓	
2. Fish	2. Fish ✓	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman ✓	
4. Eudaly	4. Eudaly ✓	
Wheeler	Wheeler _____	