

ORDINANCE No.

*Authorize a grant agreement with Lutheran Community Services Northwest in an amount not to exceed \$35,000 to support the Culturally and Community Specific Hate Crime Victim Advocacy Services. (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Lutheran Community Services Northwest (LCSNW) started Multicultural Community Services (MCS) in Portland in 1975 to provide immigrants and refugees with culturally and linguistically appropriate services as part of their mission to partner with individuals, families and communities for health, justice and hope.
2. LCSNW has a successful history of delivering culturally specific services, sponsoring and resettling over 40,000 refugees in the last 40 years. Since January 2016, 12% of the crime types that LCSNW worked on have been hate or discrimination cases.
3. Hate crimes targeting people of color, Muslims, immigrants, LGBTQ community, and women have increased in Portland and across the nation. Newly arriving refugees and immigrants are especially impacted by recent hate crimes.
4. LCSNW see a great need for educating the community they serve about hate crimes. Often, LCSNW's clients don't realize what happened to them was a hate crime until coming to their program.
5. By increasing staff capacity, LCSNW will expand the advocacy work and focus specifically on victims of hate crimes in the refugee and immigrant communities and provide rapid response to victims.
6. 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 Lutheran Community Services Northwest in an amount not to exceed \$35,000.

NOW THEREFORE, The Council directs:

- a. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a grant agreement with the Lutheran Community Services Northwest, as outlined in a form substantially in accordance with the agreement attached as Exhibit A, at a cost not to exceed \$35,000.
- b. The Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver payment chargeable to the Fiscal Year 2017-18 Budget.

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Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because a delay in funding will affect the Lutheran Community Services Northwest's ability to provide hate crime victim advocacy services to the refugee and immigrant communities; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by Council.

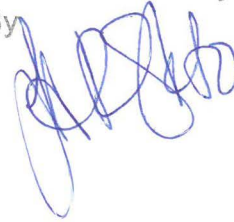
Passed by the Council:

FEB 07 2018

Commissioner Ted Wheeler
Prepared by: Linda Rains
Date Prepared: January 8, 2018

Mary Hull Caballero
Auditor of the City of Portland

By



Deputy

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<p>INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Ted Wheeler</p> <p>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</p> <p>Mayor—Finance & Administration - Wheeler <i>kc</i></p> <p>Position 1/Utilities - Fritz</p> <p>Position 2/Works - Fish</p> <p>Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman</p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Eudaly</p> <p>BUREAU APPROVAL</p> <p>Bureau: OMF OMF CAO: Tom Rinehart Bureau Head: Jennifer Cooperman <i>JC</i></p> <p>Prepared by: Antoinette Toku Date Prepared: 01/23/2018</p> <p>Impact Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances</p> <p>City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter</p> <p>Council Meeting Date: 02/07/2018</p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>JAN 30 2018</u></p> <p>Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By: <i>Mary Hull Caballero</i> Deputy</p> <p>ACTION TAKEN:</p>
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AGENDA
<p>TIME CERTAIN <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Start time: _____</p> <p>Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)</p>
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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 ✓	