

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: Transmit Report to the City of Portland on Portland Police Bureau Officer-Involved Shootings and In Custody Deaths by the Office of Independent Review (Report)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

The Office of Independent Review (OIR) is presenting their fifth report of their review of closed investigations of Portland Police Bureau officer-involved shootings and in-custody deaths that occurred between 2014 and 2015. OIR was hired by the City Auditor in 2010 as outside experts to examine these cases and provide their insights and recommendations to the City.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

N/A

Community impacts and community involvement:

This report has significant value for the Auditor's Office, City Council, for the Police Bureau, and most importantly, for the community we serve. This report is an independent account of six officer-involved shootings and details how the Portland Police Bureau investigated and reviewed each. The analysis centers on the quality and thoroughness of the Police Bureau's internal investigation and review of each of the incidents. The report identifies areas of notable improvement, identifies issues that need to be addressed and makes recommendations for change.

In the years since OIR was tasked with this project, they have met with community advocacy groups, including mental health advocates and members of the Albina Ministerial Alliance, the civilian coordinator of the Police Bureau's Crisis Intervention Team program, members of the Citizen Review Committee, and Portland Copwatch. They also met with Police Bureau executives, a civilian facilitator of the Police Review Board and the president of the Portland Police Association. This public involvement helped inform OIR staff of the historical context of the incidents that occurred. Stakeholders were also able to provide relevant information and community perspective as the project developed.

OIR will be holding a meeting with the community to discuss this report on February 14.

100% Renewable Goal:

N/A

Budgetary Impact Worksheet

Does this action change appropriations?

- YES:** Please complete the information below.
- NO:** Skip this section

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount