

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: *Rename the Office of Neighborhood Involvement to the Office of Community & Civic Life (Ordinance; amend Code Chapter 3.96 and other titles, as needed).

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

The bureau was originally created in 1974, as a way for neighborhood associations to participate in the local government’s decision-making process. Since then our office’s programs and relationship with the public have evolved. In 2018, we changed our name to better represent the work we do, the ways we support, and how we engage with all Portlanders through our distinct, yet connected programs.

This ordinance authorizes the bureau to use the new name and directs the Auditor’s office to update the bureau name in all applicable areas of existing code.

Community impacts and community involvement:

In order to select a new name, the bureau conducted interviews with key partners, fielded a public survey, and invited members of the public and staff to participate in discussion-based focus groups. These efforts were designed to gather direction and understand why our office is important to a range of community members, regardless of how they organize or identify.

Financial and budgetary impacts: N/A

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