ORDINANCE No. 189124

*Pay claim of Deann Wallace in the sum of \$20,000 involving the Portland Parks and Recreation Bureau (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. Deann Wallace filed a workers' compensation claim with the City of Portland on May 1, 2015.
- 2. The workers' compensation claim has been investigated by Risk Management Services. The investigation resulted in partial claim acceptance and partial denial. There is risk that the City may be found liable for the denied portion of the claim. Therefore, in order to avoid the risk of an adverse award, we feel it is prudent to compromise the claim at this time.
- 3. Risk Management Services recommends the workers' compensation claims be compromised for the total sum of \$20,000, subject to the claimant providing the City with a release in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Mayor and the Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver a check in the amount of \$15,000 made payable to law offices of Thomas, Coon, Newton & Frost.
- b. Risk Management Services will execute a payment authorization in the amount set forth in sub-paragraph (a) above.
- c. The Mayor and the Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver a check in the amount of \$5,000 made payable to law offices of Thomas, Coon, Newton & Frost.
- d. Portland Parks and Recreation will execute a payment in the amount set forth in sub-paragraph (c) above.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to avoid undue and costly delay in settling this Workers' Compensation claim; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council, AUG 2 2 2018

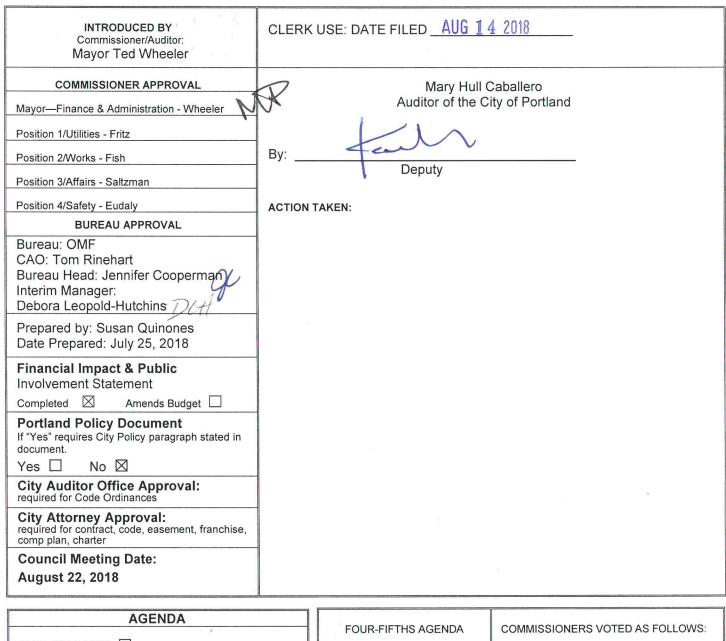
Mayor Ted Wheeler Prepared by Susan Quinones Date prepared: July 25, 2018

MARY HULL CABALLERO Auditor of the City of Portland By Deputy

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