IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: Establish Parameters of Cooperation Between Portland Police Bureau

and the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Joint Terrorism Task Force

(Resolution)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

On February 13, 2019, under Resolution 37415, City Council authorized the withdrawal of the Portland Police Bureau (PPB) from the Joint Terrorism Task Force (JTTF) within 90 days. As part of this process, City Council also called for the drafting of a second resolution, developed in consultation with the Chief of Police, which would describe the parameters of PPB's future engagement with the JTTF on a case-by-case basis. This resolution sets general guidelines for the PPB to follow as it develops a directive that will specifically outline for PPB members how PPB will coordinate the sharing of information between PPB and the JTTF regarding the threat of terrorism.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

There are no budgetary impacts from this resolution.

Community impacts and community involvement:

This resolution affects all Portlanders given the role of the JTTF in protecting the city from terrorism and threats to life. As binding city policy, any changes to the resolution must come before the City Council, with review and recommendations by members of the Portland community who are most at risk. Further, the directive will be subject to universal review, with two rounds of public comment.

100% Renewable Goal:

Not applicable.

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

Fritz Amendment to JTTF Resolution

Fritz Amendment 1

Amend seventh paragraph to replace "is reasonable suspicion of criminal activity" with "are reasonable grounds to suspect the subject of the information is or may be involved in criminal conduct".

The amended paragraph reads: NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Chief of Police may, upon the request of the Portland FBI Special Agent in Charge (SAC), temporarily assign PPB officers to work with the Portland FBI JTTF to assist in the investigation of any individual suspected cases of terrorism and/or threats to life, including hate crimes, in or having a direct nexus to the City of Portland where there are reasonable grounds to suspect the subject of the information is or may be involved in criminal conduct; and