

ORDINANCE No. 189704

*Authorize an Intergovernmental Agreement with the State of Oregon for Administrative Review Services related to the Open and Accountable Elections Program (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Council adopted the Open and Accountable Elections program in December 2016.
2. The intention of the program is to (1) allow candidates to engage with individuals from a variety of backgrounds and neighborhoods, which will ensure that the priorities and concerns of all individuals have the opportunity to be heard, and (2) increase the participation of all Portlanders by increasing the value of small donations.
3. Candidates participating in the City's Open and Accountable Elections Program have the right to seek timely, effective, and impartial appeal and review of decisions made by the Program Director related to their participation and status in the Program.
4. The State of Oregon, Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH) agreed to conduct contested case hearings for the City of Portland's Open and Accountable Election's Program.
5. The City contracted with the OAH for administrative review services for the City's previous public campaign financing program.
6. An amount not to exceed the sum of \$250,000 is considered reasonable and proper compensation for administrative review services.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. That the Open and Accountable Elections Program Director is authorized to execute an intergovernmental agreement between the City and the State of Oregon in a form similar to the agreement attached as Exhibit A, and in an amount not to exceed \$250,000.
- b. The Open and Accountable Elections Program Director is authorized to execute written amendments to the terms and conditions of the agreement. Any amendments that increase the total not-to-exceed amount of the agreement over \$375,000 require authorization by City Council.
- c. The Open and Accountable Elections Program Director is hereby authorized to pay for said agreement from the Open and Accountable Election's budget.

Section 2. Council declares that an emergency exists in order to promptly make available administrative review services to candidates participating in the Open and Accountable Elections Program. Therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: SEP 18 2019

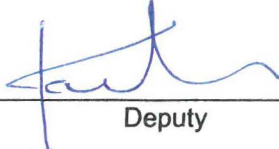
Commissioner Amanda Fritz
Prepared by: Cristina Nieves
Date Prepared: September 6th, 2019

Mary Hull Caballero
Auditor of the City of Portland

By 
Deputy

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<p>INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Fritz</p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>SEP 10 2019</u></p>
<p>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</p> <p>Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales ^{Wheeler}</p> <p>Position 1/Utilities - Fritz ^{Arad Fritz}</p> <p>Position 2/Works - Fish</p> <p>Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman ^{Hardesty}</p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Novick ^{Eudaly}</p>	<p>Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By:  Deputy</p>
<p>BUREAU APPROVAL</p> <p>Bureau: N/A Bureau Head: N/A</p> <p>Prepared by: Cristina Nieves Date Prepared: 9/6/19</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 ^{bf}</p> <p>Council Meeting Date 9/18/19</p>	
<p>ACTION TAKEN:</p>	

AGENDA

TIME CERTAIN

Start time:

Total amount of time needed:
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

CONSENT

REGULAR

Total amount of time needed: **5 MIN**
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:	
	YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
2. Fish	2. Fish <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3. Saltzman ^{Hardesty}	3. Saltzman ^{Hardesty} <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
4. Novick ^{Eudaly}	4. Novick ^{Eudaly} <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Hales ^{Wheeler}	Hales ^{Wheeler} <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	