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# BACKGROUND REPORTS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

## A. Resolutions and Ordinances

1. Resolution #36941 Tribal Relationship Resolution  
<https://efiles.portlandoregon.gov/Record/5050997/>
2. Portland Resolutions 35715 and 35894, Salmon Recovery
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<https://www.oregonmetro.gov/regional-transportation-plan>
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