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November 7, 2006

Ms. Amy Chomowicz City of Portland Bureau of Environmental Services 1120 SW 5th Avenue Portland OR 97204

Dear Ms. Chomowicz:

This letter documents a modification to the Joint Funding Agreement between the City of Portland, Bureau of Environmental Services, and the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS), dated October 1, 2004, to increase the amount of Federal Matching Funds (FMF) being contributed by the USGS and to extend the time period of the Agreement. These changes are necessary because of the unforeseen delay in receiving analytical results from the Geochemical and Environmental Research Group at Texas A&M University for the final batch of semi-permeable-membrane-device extracts.

For Federal fiscal year 2007 (October 1, 2006, through September 30, 2007), we propose to increase the BES share from \$12,000 to \$19,600 (an increase of \$7,600) with the understanding these funds will be matched by an increase in FMF from \$12,000 to \$19,600. In addition to the increased funding, the period of the Agreement will be extended through September 30, 2007.

Work performed with funds from this agreement will be conducted on a fixed-price basis. The results of all work under this agreement will be available for publication by the U.S. Geological Survey. The Water Resources Cooperative Program operates under the authority of statute 43 USC 50, which allows us to perform this work. The Oregon Water Science Center DUNS number is 137883463. The City of Portland, Bureau of Environmental Services will be billed quarterly via a DI-1040, Bill for Collection, unless a written request for a different billing cycle is received with the Agreement.

If these terms are agreeable to the City, we ask that you sign at the bottom of this letter indicating your acceptance and that funds are available to support this work. Please return one copy of this letter with an original signature to the above address.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff on this study. Please contact Kathy McCarthy from this office at (503) 251-3257 if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

William D. McFarland Acting Center Director

Acceptance: (by) _____ (date)_

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