

ORDINANCE No. 184516

Authorize an Intergovernmental Agreement with Oregon Consensus-National Policy Consensus Center, Portland State University for \$14,000 to assess issues related to sedimentation and the need for maintenance dredging in the Central and South reaches of the Willamette River (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. The public interest of the citizens of the City of Portland and the health of the Willamette River are served by a better understanding of issues related to sedimentation and the impacts on watershed health and public and private users of the river;
2. The Office of Healthy Working Rivers (OHWR) Advisory Committee identified difficulties in performing necessary maintenance dredging due to sediment build up that affect public and private uses of the river including marinas, boat ramps, City park facilities, and floating homes. Dredging of sediment is subject to regulatory requirements and management and disposal of dredged materials may be expensive.
3. Portland State University through Oregon Consensus, has the ability to assess the potential impacts to the City and private river owners to determine the extent of the issue, costs associated with maintenance dredging, permitting issues and to make recommendations to OHWR on opportunities to resolve issues. Oregon Consensus is a neutral entity that is well respected for this type of assessment.
4. The OHWR has budgeted \$14,000 for this assessment. Funds are available from the adopted FY 2010-2011 budget for the OHWR..
5. The City wishes to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement with Oregon Consensus, Portland State University, to provide a report identifying key issues related to sedimentation and maintenance dredging and recommendations for possible next steps to resolve key issues identified in the assessment process.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

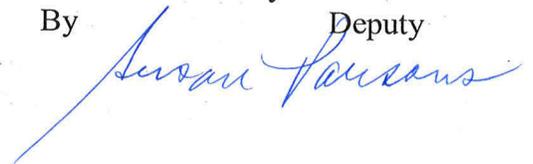
- a. That the Commissioner-in Charge and Auditor are authorized to execute an intergovernmental agreement for \$14,000 in one-time funds with Oregon Consensus, Portland State University, substantially similar to that attached as Exhibit A to this ordinance.
- b. The Mayor and the Auditor hereby are authorized to pay for and contract from the FY 2010-2011 budget.

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Passed by the Council: APR 13 2011

Commissioner Amanda Fritz
Prepared by: Ann Beier
Date Prepared: March 22, 2011

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland
By Deputy

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<p align="center">INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Fritz</p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>APR 01 2011</u></p>
<p align="center">COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</p>	<p align="center"> Filed <u>APR 01 2011</u> LA VONNE GRIFFIN-VALADE Auditor of the City of Portland By <u>Susan Parsons</u> DEPUTY </p> <p><i>ACTION TAKEN:</i> APR 06 2011 PASSED TO SECOND READING APR 13 2011 9:30 A.M.</p>
Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams	
Position 1/Utilities - Fritz <i>Amend Fritz</i>	
Position 2/Works - Fish	
Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman	
Position 4/Safety - Leonard	
<p align="center">BUREAU APPROVAL</p> Bureau: Office of Healthy Working Rivers Bureau Head: Ann Beier, Director - OHWR	
Prepared by: Ann Beier Date Prepared: 3-22-2011	
Financial Impact Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required <input type="checkbox"/>	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Council Meeting Date 4-6-2011	
City Attorney Approval <i>UKy</i>	

AGENDA	
<p>TIME CERTAIN <input type="checkbox"/></p> Start time: _____ Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)	
<p>CONSENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>REGULAR <input type="checkbox"/></p> Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)	

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	✓	
2. Fish	2. Fish	✓	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	✓	
4. Leonard	4. Leonard	✓	
Adams	Adams	✓	