

ORDINANCE No. 184587

*Amend contract with Hoffman, Hart & Wagner LLP for outside legal counsel
(Ordinance; amend Contract No. 30001323)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. The City required the services of outside legal counsel because of a conflict of interest in the matter of Ruffin v City of Portland et al, MCCC #1004-05183, Risk Management #G2010-0307-01 JB.
2. The law firm of Hoffman, Hart & Wagner LLP, agreed to provide these services by Legal Services Agreement No. C30001323 dated July 8, 2010.
3. Due to the nature of the matter and the likelihood that it will go to trial, it is necessary to increase the amount of the contract and extend the terms of the agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The City Attorney is authorized to extend Legal Service Agreement No. C30001323, dated July 8, 2010, to provide for representation by outside counsel in an additional amount of \$50,000, for a total not to exceed \$100,000.
- b. The terms of Contract #30001323 is extended until January 25, 2012.
- c. If applicable, the provisions of City Code Chapter 5.68 are waived.
- d. The Mayor and Auditor are authorized to draw and deliver warrants in payment of legal services provided under this Legal Services Agreement.

Section 1. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to continue to pay for legal services in a timely manner in the matter of Ruffin v City; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: MAY 18 2011

Commissioner: Mayor Adams
Prepared by: SDorn for HAuerbach
Date Prepared: April 13, 2011

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

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<p>INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Sam Adams</p> <p>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</p> <p>Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams <i>Sam Adams</i></p> <p>Position 1/Utilities - Fritz</p> <p>Position 2/Works - Fish</p> <p>Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman</p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Leonard</p> <p>BUREAU APPROVAL</p> <p>Bureau: City Attorney Bureau Head: Linda Meng</p> <p>Prepared by: SDorn Date Prepared: April 13, 2011</p> <p>Financial Impact Statement Completed <input type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required <input checked="" 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>Council Meeting Date May 18, 2011</p> <p><i>City Attorney Approval Linda Meng</i></p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>MAY 13 2011</u></p> <p>LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By: <i>[Signature]</i> Deputy</p> <p>ACTION TAKEN:</p>
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TIME CERTAIN
 Start time: _____

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

CONSENT

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Total amount of time needed: _____
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FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:	
	YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	✓	
2. Fish	✓	
3. Saltzman	✓	
4. Leonard	✓	
Adams	✓	