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## PRESENTATION TO COUNCIL

November 3, 2011

**TO:** Mayor Sam Adams  
Commissioner Fish  
Commissioner Leonard  
Commissioner Saltzman

**FROM:** Commissioner Amanda Fritz

**SUBJECT:** Presentation to City Council on Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am by the Portland Rose Festival Foundation on winning the Grand Pinnacle Award of the International Festivals and Events Association

The Rose Festival is Portland's Official Festival. For more than a century, this annual celebration has highlighted the diverse interests and culture of the community with the Starlight Parade, Grand Floral Parade, Rose Festival Court, and other events.

On October 3<sup>rd</sup>, The Portland Rose Festival was awarded the highly coveted Grand Pinnacle Award as Best Festival in the World in 2011 at the IFEA/Haas & Wilkerson Pinnacle Awards convention in Dallas, Texas. This is the second time in five years the Rose Festival has been honored with the Grand Pinnacle Award.

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Portland Rose Festival Foundation winning the Grand Pinnacle Award of the  
International Festivals and Events Association (Presentation introduced by  
Commissioner Fritz)

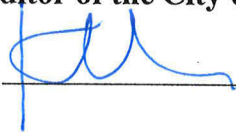
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