## ORDINANCE No. 185274

\*Pay claim of Stacey Lauer involving Portland Parks and Recreation (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. Stacey Lauer through her attorney Tom Doyle has filed an employment discrimination and retaliation lawsuit arising out of events which occurred during the course of her employment with Portland Parks and Recreation.
- 2. The claim has been investigated by Risk Management Services. The investigation indicates there is risk the City may be found liable. Therefore, in order to avoid the risk of an adverse jury award, we feel it is prudent to compromise the lawsuit at this time.
- 3. Risk Management Services recommends the lawsuit be compromised for the total sum of \$25,000, subject to the claimant providing the City with a release in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

a. The Mayor and the Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver a checks in the following amounts:

1) One check in the amount of \$12,500 made payable to Stacey Lauer and Tom Doyle, attorney at law; and

2) One payroll check in the gross amount of \$12,500 made payable to Stacey Lauer with deductions and withholdings required by law.

- b. Risk Management Services will execute a payment authorization in the amount set forth in sub-paragraph (a) above.
- Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to avoid undue and costly delay in settling this lawsuit; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council, APR **25** 2012

Mayor Sam Adams Prepared by Becky Chiao Date prepared: April 5, 2012

LaVONNE GRIFFIN-VALDE Auditor of the City of Portland By Susan Parton Deputy

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## Pay Claim of Stacey Lauer, involving Portland Parks and Recreation (Ordinance) APR 20 2012 INTRODUCED BY CLERK USE: DATE FILED \_\_\_\_\_ Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Sam Adams **COMMISSIONER APPROVAL** LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland Mayor-Finance and Administration - Adams Position 1/Utilities - Fritz By: Position 2/Works - Fish Deputy Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman Position 4/Safety - Leonard **ACTION TAKEN: BUREAU APPROVAL** Bureau: **OMF/Risk Management Services** Bureau Head: Bryant Enge, Director BIBS W Kate Wood, Risk Mgr Prepared by: Becky Chiao Date Prepared: April 5, 2012 Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement Completed Amends Budget Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policyparagraph stated in document. No 🖂 Yes 🗌 Council Meeting Date April 25, 2012

COMMISSIONERS VOTED FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA AGENDA AS FOLLOWS: TIME CERTAIN YEAS NAYS Start time: 1. Fritz 1. Fritz Total amount of time needed: (for presentation, testimony and discussion) 2. Fish 2. Fish CONSENT 🖂 3. Saltzman 3. Saltzman REGULAR 4. Leonard 4. Leonard Total amount of time needed: (for presentation, testimony and discussion) Adams Adams

**City Attorney Approval** 

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