

**RESOLUTION No. 36993**

Set referendum on fluoridation of Portland drinking water supply for Special Election on May 21, 2013 (Resolution)

WHEREAS, on September 12, 2012, the Council adopted Ordinance No. 185612 authorizing and directing the Portland Water Bureau to add fluoride to the City of Portland's public water supply; and

WHEREAS, on October 11, 2012, the City Auditor received petition signature sheets for a referendum petition ID PDX 2, filed on September 12, 2012, regarding Ordinance No. 185612; and

WHEREAS, on November 8, 2012, elections officials determined that signature gatherers had submitted sufficient valid signatures to refer Ordinance No. 185612 to the voters of the City of Portland; and

WHEREAS, the Multnomah County Circuit Court has approved a ballot title for Referendum Petition ID PDX 2 in the case of Kaminski v. Van Dyke, Multnomah Circuit Court Case No. 12-10-12349; and

WHEREAS, there is a Special Election scheduled for Multnomah County for May 21, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the Council has separately referred a local option levy renewal measure to the Portland voters for the May, 2013 special election by Resolution No. 36979; and

WHEREAS, under Oregon law, the operation of Ordinance No. 185612 is suspended until the voters of the City of Portland have the opportunity to vote approval or rejection; and

WHEREAS, the public interest in the prompt resolution of the question outweighs the costs that would be associated with setting Referendum Petition ID PDX 2 for a special election;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that referendum petition ID PDX 2 is submitted to the legal voters of the City of Portland, Oregon, for their adoption or rejection at the special election in the City of Portland, Multnomah County, Clackamas County and Washington County to be held on May 21, 2013; and

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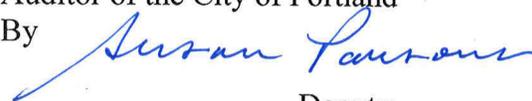
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Auditor is directed to forward to the County Elections Office all material necessary to place for Referendum Petition ID PDX 2 on the May 21, 2013 election ballot; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Auditor of the City of Portland is hereby authorized to incur expenses necessary and incident to the conduct of such special election or elections.

Adopted by the Council: DEC 20 2012  
Commissioner Leonard  
Prepared by: Stu Oishi/Ben Walters  
Date Prepared: 12/12/12

**LaVonne Griffin-Valade**  
Auditor of the City of Portland

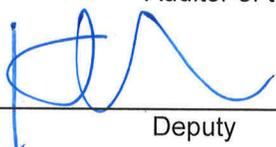
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Deputy

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<p align="center"><b>INTRODUCED BY</b> Commissioner/Auditor: <b>Commissioner Randy Leonard</b></p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>DEC 14 2012</u></p>
<p align="center"><b>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</b></p> <p>Mayor—Finance and Administration – Adams</p> <p>Position 1/Utilities - Fritz</p> <p>Position 2/Works - Fish</p> <p><i>Randy Leonard / Stuart Oishi</i> Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman</p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Leonard</p>	<p align="center">LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By:  _____ Deputy</p> <p><b>ACTION TAKEN:</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>BUREAU APPROVAL</b></p>	
<p>Prepared by: Stuart Oishi and Ben Walters Date Prepared: 12/12/12</p>	
<p>Financial Impact Statement &amp; Public Involvement Statement</p> <p>Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input 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 <b>Thursday, December 20, 2012</b></p>	
<p>City Attorney Approval <i>Benjamin Walters</i></p>	

<b>AGENDA</b>
<p><b>TIME CERTAIN</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Start time: <u>2:00 PM</u></p> <p><b>Total amount of time needed: 2 hours</b> (for presentation, testimony and discussion)</p>
<p><b>CONSENT</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p><b>REGULAR</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)</p>

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	✓