## ORDINANCE No. 185812

\* Authorize a grant agreement to provide the Multnomah County Department of Community and Family Services Schools Uniting Neighborhood initiative \$100,000, the base start-up amount for a SUN service system at David Douglas High School. (Ordinance)

## The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds that:

- 1. The city of Portland recognizes that the city's future economic and social well-being are dependent on ensuring a strong educational foundation for all our city's youth; and
- 2. The City of Portland is concerned about the number of students dropping out of high school, with only 53%-64% of local students graduating on time; and
- 3. David Douglas High School has one of the highest poverty student population rates in the region and is the largest high school in the state; and
- 4. Many considerations affect the quality of young people's education, including social, health and emotional concerns. Comprehensive models address these concerns; and
- 5. Bridges between the extended programs at the regular school curriculum can help raise academic achievement. The extended learning school curriculum should be challenging, fun, and reflect diverse strengths and interests; and
- 6. Involving families as decision-makers, volunteers, and participants in activities with their children and other adults is vital to success; and
- 7. All community members should have the opportunity to play a role in the community schools model; and
- 8. SUN Community Schools embraces the principle of involving and working together with everybody in the community; and
- 9. SUN Community Schools is the central element in the County's SUN Service System of youth and family development; and
- 10. Priority goals of the city include making a "family friendly city" and supporting public school districts.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Mayor is authorized to enter into a Grant Agreement, as outlined in form substantially in accordance with the agreement attached as Exhibit A, at a cost not to exceed \$100,000.
- b. The Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver payment chargeable to the

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## Fiscal Year 2012-2013 Adopted Budget.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because any delay in providing grant funding to Schools Uniting Neighborhoods would harm the public interest; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: DEC 19 2012

Mayor Sam Adams Prepared by: Kali Ladd Date Prepared: December 12, 2012

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

