

ORDINANCE No. 185904

*Amend Legal Services Agreement with Cascadia Law Group for outside counsel (Ordinance; amend Contract No. 34620)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. The Bureau of Environmental Services required the services of outside legal counsel to provide legal advice regarding the Portland Harbor Superfund Site.
2. The law firm of Cascadia Law Group agreed to provide these services as they relate to natural resources restoration, insurance and early cleanup issues.
3. It is necessary to increase the amount of the agreement to provide final payment for services provided under this agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The City Attorney is authorized to extend Legal Service Agreement No. C34620, which provides representation by outside counsel, in an additional amount of \$80,000, bringing the total of this agreement to \$2,655,000.
- b. If applicable, the provisions of City Code Chapter 5.68 are waived.
- c. The Mayor and Auditor are authorized to draw and deliver checks when demand is present and approved by the City Attorney.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to pay for legal services necessary in the matter of the Portland Harbor Superfund Site; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: FEB 27 2013

Commissioner: Mayor Hales
Prepared by: Stephanie Harris
Date Prepared: 2/12/2013

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

By 
Deputy

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INTRODUCED BY
 Commissioner/Auditor:
Mayor Hales

COMMISSIONER APPROVAL
 Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales *SAH*

Position 1/Utilities - Fritz

Position 2/Works - Fish

Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman

Position 4/Safety - Novick

BUREAU APPROVAL
 Bureau: City Attorney
 Bureau Head: James H. Van Dyke

Prepared by: S. Harris
 Date Prepared: 2/12/2013

Financial Impact Statement
 Completed Amends Budget
 Not Required

Portland Policy Document
 If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document.
 Yes No

Council Meeting Date
February 27, 2013

✓ **City Attorney Approval** *JUD*

CLERK USE: DATE FILED FEB 22 2013

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
 Auditor of the City of Portland

By: *[Signature]*
 Deputy

ACTION TAKEN:

AGENDA

TIME CERTAIN
 Start time: _____

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

CONSENT

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

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:	
	YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz ✓	
2. Fish	2. Fish ✓	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman ✓	
4. Novick	4. Novick ✓	
Hales	Hales ✓	