## ORDINANCE No. 186015

\* Authorize an Intergovernmental Agreement with Portland State University for \$55,000 to provide community engagement survey and analysis services (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. Council passed Ordinance No. 185736 on November 14, 2012 to authorize the Mayor to execute an agreement with the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) in response to findings from a report completed by the DOJ earlier in the year.
- 2. The Police Bureau is undertaking efforts targeted to strengthen initiatives already underway to ensure that encounters between police and persons with perceived or actual mental illness, or experiencing a mental health crisis, do not result in unnecessary or excessive use of force.
- 3. The ability of police officers to protect themselves and the community they serve is largely dependent on the quality of the relationship they have with that community. Public and officer safety, constitutional policing, and the community's trust and confidence in its police force are, thus, interdependent.
- 4. A baseline level of public trust and confidence in the Police Bureau must be established in order to determine whether community engagement and changes in police policy and procedure lead to improvement or erosion in that public trust.
- 5. Portland State University has provided similar survey and data analysis services for the Police Bureau in the past and is well-suited to provide such services on this project.
- 6. At this time it is beneficial to enter into an agreement with Portland State University to meet the City's survey needs.
- 7. Adequate one-time General Fund appropriations for the Police Bureau to use for this specific item were authorized by City Council in the FY 2012-13 Winter Budget Monitoring Process.

NOW, therefore, the Council directs:

- a. That the Chief of Police and Auditor of the City of Portland are hereby authorized to execute an agreement between Portland State University and the City of Portland as detailed in a form substantially in agreement with the contract attached as exhibit A.
- b. The Chief of Police is hereby authorized to execute any subsequent amendments to this agreement, provided such agreements do not increase the City's financial obligation or risk. Any agreements or modifications that increase the City's financial obligation or risk must be authorized by the Portland City Council.

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Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because delay in proceeding with this amendment will delay the completion of the survey and analysis needed to establish baseline data for future reports; therefore this ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council:

MAY 08 2013

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By

Mayor Charlie Hales Prepared by: Elizabeth Gardiner April 9, 2013

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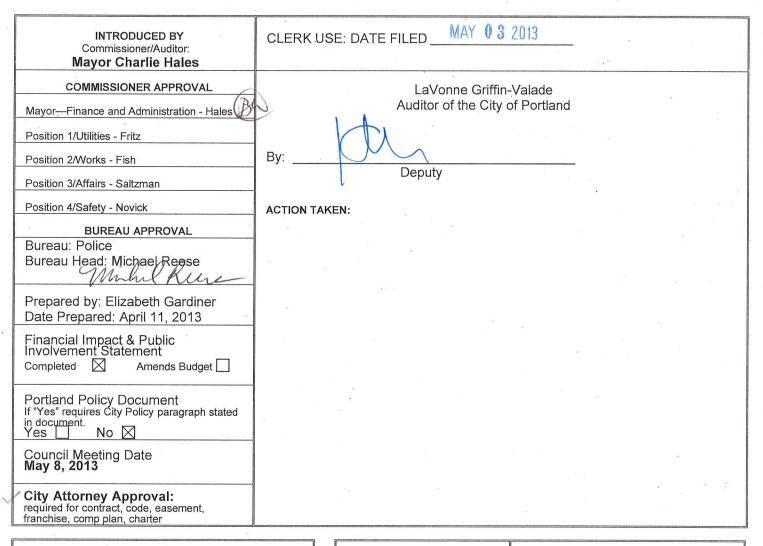
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## AGENDA

Start time: \_

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

CONSENT

REGULAR Total amount of time needed: <u>5 min</u> (for presentation, testimony and discussion)

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
	1	YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	$\checkmark$	
2. Fish	<mark>2.</mark> Fish	$\checkmark$	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman		
4. Novick	4. Novick		
Hales	Hales	$\checkmark$	