

ORDINANCE No. 186170

*Authorize Mayor to enter into a collaborative agreement between the City, Albina Ministerial Alliance Coalition for Justice and Police Reform (AMA Coalition), and the United States to clarify and strengthen the proposed Settlement Agreement related to police interactions with people experiencing mental illness. (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. The Mayor was authorized by Ordinance No. 185736, unanimously passed by the Council on November 14, 2012, to enter into a Settlement Agreement remediating City practices related to police interactions with the mentally ill and to settle a lawsuit filed by the United States (*US v City of Portland*, No. 3:12-cv-02265-SI (D.Or. Dec. 17, 2012)).
2. The City and United States have jointly requested that the Court accept the Settlement Agreement, and that request is still pending.
3. The AMA Coalition is an enhanced amicus curiae in *US v. City of Portland*. The AMA Coalition objected to entry of the Settlement Agreement, and at the Court's request the parties participated in mediation.
4. In March of 2013, Commissioner Amanda Fritz organized a Council Coordinating Committee (CCC) for the purpose of coordinating the offices of the elected officials in the City's implementation of the Settlement Agreement.
5. The Settlement Agreement calls for the City to hire a Compliance Officer and Community Liaison (COCL). It also calls for the City to establish a Community Oversight Board (COAB).
6. The CCC identified the selection process for the COCL and the election process for the COAB as primary areas on which to focus. The CCC proposes improvements in these processes.
7. The AMA, City, and United States agree that the proposed Settlement Agreement makes important systemic changes and reforms within the Portland Police Bureau and other City bureaus. The parties also agree that additional measures can further support those reforms.
8. The parties negotiated a collaborative agreement that enhances opportunities for public participation in the election process of the COAB and the City's selection process for the COCL, as well as providing greater public access to information about police bureau meetings and reports.
9. As a result of the collaborative agreement, the AMA Coalition will notify the Court that it no longer objects to entry of the Settlement Agreement.

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NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

a. The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute an Agreement, attached as Exhibit A, or an agreement in substantially similar form as Exhibit A, with the United States and the AMA Coalition.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because delay in entering into the cooperative agreement will delay the implementation of the Settlement Agreement; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: JUL 24 2013

Mayor Charlie Hales

Prepared by: Ellen Osoinach

Date Prepared: July 18, 2013

LaVonne Griffin-Valade

Auditor of the City of Portland

By




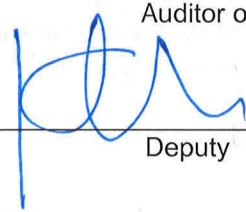

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Charlie Hales	CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>JUL 19 2013</u>
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales 	LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland By:  Deputy
Position 1/Utilities - Fritz	
Position 2/Works - Fish	
Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman	
Position 4/Safety - Novick	
BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: Office of the Mayor Bureau Head: Charlie Hales	ACTION TAKEN:
Prepared by: Ellen Osoinach Date Prepared: July 18, 2013	
Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/>	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances	
City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter 	
Council Meeting Date July 24, 2014	

AGENDA
TIME CERTAIN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Start time: 10:00am Total amount of time needed: <u>45 min</u> 1 hour (for presentation, testimony and discussion)
CONSENT <input type="checkbox"/>
REGULAR <input type="checkbox"/> 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	✓	