## 186310

## ORDINANCE No.

\*Pay claim of Western Systems & Fabrication LLC in the sum of \$12,575 involving the Bureau of Transportation. (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

#### Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. Western Systems & Fabrication LLC has filed a property damage claim against the City for collision damage to its street sweeper that occurred on November 1, 2012, involving the Bureau of Transportation.
- 2. The claim has been investigated by Risk Management Services. The investigation indicates there is risk the City may be found liable. Therefore, in order to avoid the risk of an adverse jury award, we feel it is prudent to compromise the claim at this time.
- 3. Risk Management Services recommends the claim be compromised for the total sum of \$12,574.85, subject to the claimant providing the City with a release in a form to be approved by the City Attorney. (Of this total, Risk Management has previously advanced the sum of \$5,000.)

### NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Mayor and the Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver a check in the amount of \$7,574.85, made payable to Western Systems & Fabrication LLC. (The total settlement amount is \$12,574.85, less \$5,000 previously advanced by Risk Management.)
- b. Risk Management Services will execute a payment authorization in the amount set forth in sub-paragraph (a) above.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to avoid undue and costly delay in settling this claim; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council, U

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Mayor Charlie Hales Prepared by John Buehler Date prepared: October 1, 2013 LaVONNE GRIFFIN-VALDE
Auditor of the City of Portland

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Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales  Position 1/Utilities - Fritz	LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland
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Position 4/Safety - Novick	ACTION TAKEN:
BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: OMF Bureau of Internal Business Services OMF CAO: Jack D. Graham Bureau Head: Bryant M. Enge Risk Manager: Kate Wood	
Prepared by: John Buehler Date Prepared: October 1, 2013	
Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement Completed Amends Budget	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes No	
City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances	
City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter	
Council Meeting Date October 30, 2013	

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3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman		
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