

Office of Mayor Charlie Hales City of Portland

**REPORT TO COUNCIL** 

DATE: August 6, 2014

**TO: City Council** 

FROM: Mayor Charlie Hales

SUBJECT: Screen student films from the Media Institute for Social Change Summer program

I am pleased to submit for your consideration two short films produced by students from across the country and currently enrolled in the Media Institute for Social Change summer program. This program gives students the opportunity to examine local solutions for global issues, and provides them with creative and journalistic experience that they can utilize to create change.

These two films will discussion the following:

- A single mother living in a 'food desert' in Southeast Portland. Through her membership at Zenger Farm, she can access fresh produce at an affordable price
- New Avenues for Youth gives homeless and at-risk youth a chance to develop successful job skills. Alaric, 20 years old, is now moving forward in the screen-printing industry.

Through the screening of these films, I hope that the Council can gain a greater understanding of how their support and policies are positively affecting various issues and organizations.

Sincerely,

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Charlie Hales Mayor of Portland

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## Agenda No. **REPORT** Title

Screening of student films from the Media Institute for Social Change summer program (Report)						
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