

**IMPACT STATEMENT**

**Legislation title:** \*Pay claim of CenturyLink in the sum of \$56,677 involving the Bureau of Environmental Services

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**Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:**

This ordinance will close OMF Risk Management file No. 2014-000533-20, which arises from an obstructed storm sewer line in SW Portland on March 28, 2014. Storm water runoff infiltrated a commercial building and caused property damage.

**Financial and budgetary impacts:**

This legislation will have no impact on City revenue.

Cost to the City is \$56,677.15. The source of funding is the City's Insurance and Claims Fund. All cost of the settlement is in the current fiscal year. This Ordinance does not amend the budget.

**Community impacts and community involvement:**

This Ordinance settles a tort claim resulting from a sewer system backup near SW Capitol Hill Road and SW 25<sup>th</sup> Avenue.

No public involvement or input was sought regarding the Ordinance. The City Attorney's Office and Risk Management have concluded that it is not appropriate to have public involvement in settlement negotiations regarding tort claims or lawsuits against the City.

No future public involvement is anticipated or necessary. Approval by City Council of this Ordinance will fully resolve this tort claim against the City of Portland.

**Budgetary Impact Worksheet****Does this action change appropriations?**

☐ **YES:** Please complete the information below.

☒ **NO:** Skip this section

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount