

ORDINANCE No. 186943

*Pay claim of Alemayehu Meskele in the sum of \$7,018 involving the Portland Water Bureau.
(Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Alemayehu Meskele has filed a property damage claim against the City for damages suffered in a motor vehical accident involving the the Portland Water Bureau on September 23, 2014.
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 \$7,018.66, subject to the claimant providing the City with a release in a form to be approved by the City Attorney. Risk has already advanced \$1,193.00 to Mr. Meskele toward this settlement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Mayor and the Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver a check in the amount of \$5,825.66 made payable to Geico Insurance.
- 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, **JAN 07 2015**

Mayor Charlie Hales
Prepared by Randy Stenquist
Date prepared: November 25, 2014

Mary Hull Caballero
Auditor of the City of Portland

By


Deputy

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<p>INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Charlie Hales</p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>JAN 02 2015</u></p>
<p>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</p> <p>Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales</p> <p>Position 1/Utilities - Fritz</p> <p>Position 2/Works - Fish</p> <p>Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman</p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Novick</p>	<p align="center"><i>Mary Huel Caballero</i> Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By: <u><i>[Signature]</i></u> Deputy</p>
<p>BUREAU APPROVAL</p> <p>Bureau: OMF Bureau of Internal Business Services</p> <p>CAO: Fred Miller <i>FM</i></p> <p>Bureau Head: Bryant M. Enge <i>[Signature]</i></p> <p>Risk Manager: Kate Wood <i>KW</i></p> <p>Prepared by: Randy Stenquist</p> <p>Date Prepared: November 25, 2014</p> <p>Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement</p> <p>Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Portland Policy Document</p> <p>If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document.</p> <p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances</p> <p>City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter</p> <p>Council Meeting Date January 7, 2015</p>	<p>ACTION TAKEN:</p>

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