

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: Extend term of a temporary, revocable permit granted to Portland State University for electric vehicle supply equipment services (Ordinance; amend Ordinance No. 184805)

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Presenter name: N/A--Consent agenda item (Jennifer Li if needed)

Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

In August 2011, the City Council granted a 30 month temporary, revocable permit to Portland State University, through February 2014 to allow PSU, with its partners, Portland General Electric and the City of Portland, to create "Electric Avenue." Electric Avenue is a temporary demonstration of electric vehicle charging stations on SW Montgomery Street between SW Broadway and SW 6th Avenue. It has provided valuable research on electric car and charging station use and showcases a variety of electric vehicle charging stations. In late 2013, the City extended the term of the temporary, revocable permit to February 28, 2015 to allow PSU and its partners' time to allow additional products to be showcased and to plan for the transition of available replacement charging stations once Electric Avenue is decommissioned. PSU and its partners have asked for a second extension to accommodate the transition.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

There will be no financial impact to the City. The pilot project was not designed to generate revenue for PSU. As part of the demonstration, visitors who use the charging stations to power their electric vehicles pay only standard parking rates with no premium for electricity. PSU does not charge fees of any kind for the use of the charging stations, and the City does not collect revenue in the form of franchise fees from PSU for this limited and temporary use of the City streets.

Community impacts and community involvement:

This Council item is a routine franchising item with no new impact on the community. The ordinance will extend the term of the current temporary, revocable permit by an additional seven months to September 30, 2015. The time frame will allow for the decommissioning of Electric Avenue and the relocation of some electric vehicle charging stations to new locations to be determined by the partners. All other provisions will remain identical to the temporary revocable permit approved by Council in 2011.

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