

## IMPACT STATEMENT

**Legislation title:** Accept report from Community Oversight Advisory Board (COAB) on the current work to survey the community about police community engagement practices

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

This report details the COAB recommendations to the City regarding the a comprehensive Citywide Community Survey required under the City of Portland's Settlement Agreement with the U.S. Department of Justice. They will also discuss COAB planning for additional inclusion of input from other underrepresented communities and community partners regarding the engagement methods by Portland Police Bureau.

### **Financial and budgetary impacts:**

- This action does not amend the budget.
- This does not change current and future revenues.
- This does not change current and future staffing levels.
- This report is related to on-going implementation processes of the City of Portland Settlement with the Department of Justice. There will be costs associated with the implementation of surveys and focus groups, current plans are budgeted in the Spring BMP and the proposed 2015-16 Budget for COCL Administration.
- COAB is committed to continuing the transparent and inclusive processes they have been employing and will keep Council informed as to progress.

### **Community impacts and community involvement:**

There has been extensive public involvement throughout the selection process of the COAB members, trainings, and deliberations.

- The work of the COCL and the COAB will have impact on the operations of the Police Bureau and the City of Portland's implementation of the Settlement.
- Successful implementation of the Settlement with sustainable community participation will lead to more equitable public safety services and increase legitimacy of the police and the sense of safety in all communities.
- The process for the selection of the company to administer the Citywide Community Survey has had multiple opportunities for public comment and input. The COAB's Community Engagement and Outreach Planning Committee Subcommittee presented their recommendation at the public COAB meeting on May 28, 2015 and received a unanimous vote of the COAB.

- Due to the extensive and on-going opportunities for public input and participation with COAB it is unknown who will also provide public input to Council.

**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