

## Office of Mayor Charlie Hales City of Portland

REPORT TO COUNCIL

**DATE: July 1, 2015** 

**TO: City Council** 

FROM: Mayor Charlie Hales

SUBJECT: Accept report on the work of the Village Support Network and the Interfaith

Statement on Housing Justice

I am pleased to submit for your consideration a report on the New City Initiative on the Village Support Network and the Interfaith Statement on Housing Justice.

The Village Support Network program works to end the cycle of homelessness by fostering stability and self-sufficiency for families who have experienced homelessness. Teams work to develop and strengthen relationships within the family and the larger community, leading to an increase in housing stability, empowerment, and overall life satisfaction.

Additionally, the New City Initiative will be speaking about their Interfaith Statement on Housing, which was developed by a workgroup of religious leaders from the metro area. The full statement can be found at: www.newcityinitiative.net/resources/housing-justince.

Sincerely,

Charlie Hales
Mayor of Portland

## Agenda No. REPORT Title

Accept report on the work of the Village Support Network and the Interfaith Statement on Housing Justice Report)

INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Hales	CLERK USE: DATE FILED
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COMMISSIONER APPROVAL  Mayor—Finance and Administration—Hales	Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland
Position 1/Utilities - Fritz	
Position 2/Works - Fish Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman	By: Deputy
Position 4/Safety - Novick	ACTION TAKEN:
BUREAU APPROVAL	
Bureau: Office of Mayor	JUL 08 2015 ACCEPTED
Prepared by: Rachael Wiggins Date Prepared:7/1/2015	
Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement  Completed Amends Budget	
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City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances	
City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code. easement, franchise, charter, Comp Plan	
Council Meeting Date July 8, 2015	

AGENDA		
TIME CERTAIN Start time: 10:15		
Total amount of time needed: 20 min (for presentation, testimony and discussion)		
CONSENT [		
REGULAR  Total amount of time needed: (for presentation, testimony and discussion)		

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
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1. Fritz	1. Fritz	/	
2. Fish	2. Fish	<b>\</b>	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	<b>/</b>	
4. Novick	4. Novick		
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