

ORDINANCE No. 187329

* Amend a grant agreement with Legal Aid Services of Oregon to provide civil legal assistance at the Gateway Center for Domestic Violence Services for an annual amount of \$120,000 (Ordinance; amend Contract No. 32000404)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. On March 13th, 2008 the City of Portland, Oregon, accepted the recommendations of the Feasibility Study for a One Stop Domestic Violence Center and subsequently opened the Gateway Center for Domestic Violence Services ("the Gateway Center") based on the recommendations therein. The study gauged a high-level of interest and support among service providers, and a strong need for such a center among victims and survivors of domestic violence.
2. The feasibility study recommended that civil legal assistance be among the core services offered at the Gateway Center.
3. Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO) was recommended by the Center's advisory council to provide the onsite civil legal assistance because of LASO's experience providing legal aid to domestic violence victims specifically and LASO's participation on collaborative partnerships for vulnerable populations in general.
4. On or around July 1, 2010, the City of Portland entered into a Grant Agreement No. 32000404 with LASO to provide civil legal assistance at the Gateway Center.
5. On May 30, 2012 Grant Agreement NO. 32000404 was amended to extend the term to June 30, 2014.
6. Amendment No. 2 extended the term of the grant until June 30, 2016.
7. Civil legal assistance has been and continues to be one of the highest sought after services at the Center. Further, other community resources in this service area have been reduced.
8. Due to overwhelming need for civil legal assistance for domestic violence survivors served at the Gateway Center for Domestic Violence Services, the City has budgeted \$120,000 annually for this service.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

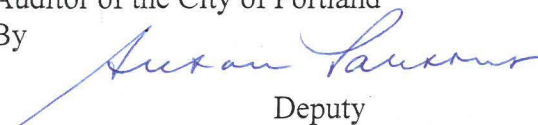
- a. The Commissioner of Public Affairs is authorized to sign a grant amendment with Legal Aid Services of Oregon in substantial conformance with the one attached as Exhibit A and approved as to form by the City Attorney.
- b. The grant funding for the additional civil legal services will be from the Center's ongoing operations budget. \$120,000 will be dispersed annually to fund services through June 30, 2018.

Section 2. The Council declares an emergency exists because a delay would unnecessarily delay the City's ability to perform the activities authorized by the contract; therefore this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by council.

Passed by the Council: SEP 09 2015

Commissioner Dan Saltzman
Prepared by: Martha Strawn Morris
Date Prepared: June 17, 2015

Mary Hull Caballero
Auditor of the City of Portland
By


Deputy

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<p>INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Dan Saltzman</p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>SEP 04 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 <i>[Signature]</i></p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Novick</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By: <u><i>Susan Parsons</i></u> Deputy</p>
<p>BUREAU APPROVAL</p> <p>Bureau: Bureau Head:</p>	<p>ACTION TAKEN:</p>
<p>Prepared by: Martha Strawn Morris Date Prepared: August 12, 2015</p>	
<p>Impact Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. 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 <i>[Signature]</i></p>	
<p>Council Meeting Date</p>	

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FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	✓	
2. Fish	2. Fish	✓	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	✓	
4. Novick	4. Novick	✓	
Hales	Hales	✓	