ORDINANCE No. 187332

*Authorize an Intergovernmental Agreement with Portland Public Schools and TriMet for \$966,666 to continue the Student Transit Pass Project to offer public transportation for high-school students at Portland Public Schools (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. TriMet, Portland Public Schools (PPS), and the City previously entered into student transit pass project(s) agreements supported by funding from the Oregon Department of Energy Business Energy Tax Credits (BETC) Program.
- 2. In 2011, The Oregon legislature eliminated the BETC Program funding for student transit passes.
- 3. Recognizing the benefit that student transit passes provide to PPS high school students, the parties have worked together to designate replacement funding for a Student Transit Pass project in an environment of extremely tight budgets.
- 4. The purpose of this agreement is to implement a new Student Transit Pass project under revised funding terms that would provide free transportation on regular TriMet service routes and Portland Streetcar to 9th through 12th grade students enrolled at PPS high schools, including designated programs within the Education Option Department for the fall and spring terms during the period of August 27, 2015 through June 35, 2016.
- 5. The parties will form a work group to seek and develop sustainable funding sources for future extensions of the Student Transit Pass program.
- 6. The Parties agree to include additional funding for the student transit pass programs on their respective agendas for future sessions of the Oregon Legislature.
- 7. Additionally, the parties agree that there are no funding commitments made by any of the parties for extension of the Student Transit Program beyond the term of this Agreement which expires June 25, 2016.

NOW, THERFORE, the Council directs:

- a. That the Mayor is authorized to sign the attached Agreement, substantially in accordance with the original of this ordinance and, by reference, made a part hereof.
- b. Portland Transportation is directed to make payment to TriMet in the amount of \$966,666 as specified in the Agreement.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because a delay in proceeding could delay implementation of the Student Transit Pass program for the upcoming fall school session; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: SEP 0 9 2015

Mayor Charlie Hales Prepared by: Rachael Wiggins Date Prepared: 9/2/2015

Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland

By Tar Insan Deputy

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Hales	CLERK USE: DATE FILED SEP 0 4 2015
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: Juran Jammer Deputy
Position 4/Safety - Novick BUREAU APPROVAL	ACTION TAKEN:
Bureau: Office of the Mayor	
Prepared by: Rachael Wiggins Date Prepared: 9/2/2015	
Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement Completed Amends Budget	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes No	
City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances	
City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter	
Council Meeting Date September 9, 2015	

AGENDA	FOU	R-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
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(for presentation, testimony and discussion)	2. Fish		2. Fish	\checkmark	
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