

# ORDINANCE No. 187456

\*Authorize a grant agreement with Oregon Tradeswomen, Inc. to support the outreach, workforce training and hiring efforts in East Portland neighborhoods that surround the Beech and Gateway Park project sites for a not-to-exceed grant amount of \$41,250 (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds that:

1. The City of Portland Procurement Services collects funds through its compliance-related activities to provide grant opportunities to organizations that provide recruitment and training for women, minority and student pre-apprentices to enter the construction trades. During earlier discussions with the community, the City demonstrated its commitment to East Portland neighborhoods by agreeing to set aside direct funding to support outreach, workforce training and hiring efforts in East Portland neighborhoods that surround the Beech and Gateway Park project sites. Portland Parks and Recreation (PP&R)'s use of this funding will be in alignment with the CBP focus for the construction of the Beech and Gateway Parks to benefit the surrounding community.
2. The City of Portland Procurement Services and PP&R will utilize 0.375% of the hard construction costs for Beech and Gateway Parks (\$41,250) to fund this grant. The grant will assist disadvantaged populations, minorities, women and youth in East Portland by providing outreach, workforce training and hiring efforts to help them create pathways out of poverty and generate self-sufficiency. Efforts will target East Portland zip codes that surround the project sites (those identified in City of Portland Procurement Services and PP&R's June 2015 Request for Proposals [RFP] for outreach, training, recruitment efforts and technical assistance: 97266, 97233, 97220, 97216 and 97230).
3. OTI is a nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting success for women in the trades through education, leadership and mentorship. It was founded in 1989 on the principle that women deserve and can attain economic self-sufficiency through pursuing careers in the building, mechanical, electrical, and utility trades while helping and encouraging the trades industry to build a diverse workforce.
4. OTI will partner with Portland organizations Constructing Hope (CH) and Human Solutions (HS). The partnership with CH and HS will provide young men, women and low-income family members the skills necessary to begin careers in the trades, thereby helping them create pathways out of poverty toward self-sufficiency.
5. Both OTI and CH are state-certified pre-apprenticeship programs that include classroom training, basic hands-on construction skills, green building awareness, fitness training, Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) instruction, construction and career work including life skills and career planning. HS's strong presence in East Portland will connect diverse women and men of color and low-income individuals (including those with a criminal history) with contractors and subcontractors. Pre-apprenticeship training slots will be dedicated to East Portland residents including those referred by HS.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

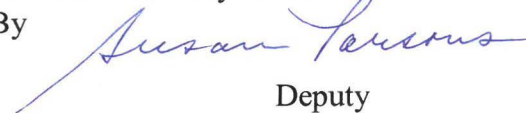
- a. The Chief Procurement Officer is authorized to execute a Grant Agreement with Oregon Tradeswomen, Inc. subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney's office at a cost not to exceed \$41,250.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because delay in proceeding with this effort will result in a delay in the implementation of the workforce training and hiring as it pertains to the Beech Park project; this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: NOV 18 2015  
Commissioner Commissioner Amanda Fritz  
Prepared by: J.Villavicencio, PE  
Date Prepared: October 15, 2015

**Mary Hull Caballero**  
Auditor of the City of Portland

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<b>INTRODUCED BY</b> Commissioner/Auditor: <b>Fritz</b>	CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>NOV 10 2015</u>
<b>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</b> Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales Position 1/Utilities - Fritz <i>Anal Fritz</i> Position 2/Works - Fish Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman Position 4/Safety - Novick	Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland  By: <u><i>Mary Hull Caballero</i></u> Deputy  <b>ACTION TAKEN:</b> NOV 18 2015 <i>RESCHEDULED TO NOV 18 2015 2 P.M</i>
<b>BUREAU APPROVAL</b> Bureau: Parks & Recreation Bureau Head: <i>Mike Abbate</i>  Prepared by: J. Villavicencio Date Prepared: 10/14/15  Impact Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/>  Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  <b>City Auditor Office Approval:</b> required for Code Ordinances  <b>City Attorney Approval:</b> required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter <i>GF</i>  Council Meeting Date 11/18/15	

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<b>CONSENT</b> <input type="checkbox"/>  <b>REGULAR</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Total amount of time needed: 10 min for 3 Ords</b> (for presentation, testimony and discussion)

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	✓	