

ORDINANCE No. 187549

*Amend grant agreement with Worksystems, Inc. to add \$10,000 for the addition of one intern through the Work Experience for Youth program within the Mayor's Office for FY 2015-16 for a not to exceed grant amount of \$620,000 (Ordinance; amend contract No. 32001032)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds that:

1. The City of Portland's future economic and social well-being are dependent upon more students graduating from high school, pursuing further education, and securing career-ladder employment ; and
2. Only 62% of local students currently graduate high school on time; less than half of graduates go on to college; and
3. Employment rates for the nation's teens and young adults are at post-World War II lows;
4. The City of Portland has a history of investing in young people through funding of after school and recreational activities, youth employment programs, and creating seasonal job training, work experience, internship and job shadowing opportunities; and
5. The City Council previously approved funding for youth employment and career preparation as part of the Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) coordinated by the Bureau of Human Resources (BHR) [Ordinance No. 180874, 181765,182138], which was subsequently established by Council as the Summer Youth Connect/SummerWorks Employment Program coordinated by the Mayor's Office [Ordinance No. 182811, 185998, 186648]; and
6. The City of Portland has joined ten other cities across the country in the Black Male Achievement Initiative through the National League of Cities to enhance opportunities for Black men and youth in the areas of education, family life, employment, and the criminal justice system. Reserving places in the summer internship program is fundamental to the overall success for the Black Male Achievement Initiative as it will grant employment opportunities for Black men and youth that may lead to career opportunities; and
7. Worksystems, Inc. has developed SummerWorks, a comprehensive summer work experience program for youth age 16-21 with barriers to employment including at-risk of disconnecting from school.
8. On June 3, 2015, Council passed Ordinance #187153 which included both the SummerWorks Program and the Black Male Achievement Initiative, and amended the City's original contract to extend Agreement #32001032 for a one year period at a yearly cost of \$315,000.00 for the implementation of the FY 2015-2016 SummerWorks Program and Black Male Achievement Initiative.

9. Worksystems, Inc. has developed Work Experience for Youth, a work experience program for youth age 16-24 who are motivated to improve their life circumstances but lack access to opportunities for developing the skills and experience needed to make a successful transition to adulthood. The program prepares youths for successful careers through continued education and work-based learning.

10. This Amendment would add an additional \$10,000 to Agreement #32001032 to pay for an intern for the FY 2015-2016 from the Work Experience for Youth program in the Mayor's Office. Payments shall be made through the Mayor's Office and funding is available in the budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

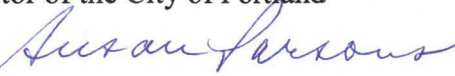
- a. The Mayor is authorized to amend the Grant Agreement with Worksystems, Inc. at a cost not to exceed \$10,000, provided the form has been approved by the City Attorney's Office.
- b. The Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver payment payable to Worksystems, Inc. chargeable to the Office of the Mayor when demand is presented and approved by the proper authorities.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists so that funds may be provided the entirety of this fiscal year; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: JAN 20 2016

Commissioner Mayor Charlie Hales
Prepared by: R. Wiggins/B. Gibson
Date Prepared: January 8, 2016

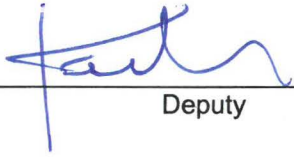
Mary Hull Caballero
Auditor of the City of Portland
By


Deputy

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<p>INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Charlie Hales</p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>JAN 12 2016</u></p>
<p>COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</p> <p>Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales <i>JAA</i></p> <p>Position 1/Utilities - Fritz</p> <p>Position 2/Works - Fish</p> <p>Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman</p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Novick</p>	<p>Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By:  Deputy</p>
<p>BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: Mayor's Office</p>	<p>ACTION TAKEN:</p>
<p>Prepared by: R.Wiggins/B. Gibson Date Prepared: 1/8/2016</p>	
<p>Impact Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances</p>	
<p>City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, charter, Comp Plan <i>6F</i></p>	
<p>Council Meeting Date 1/20/2016</p>	

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AGENDA

TIME CERTAIN

Start time _____

Total amount of time needed:
 (for presentation, testimony and discussion) _____

CONSENT

REGULAR

Total amount of time needed: _____
 (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	_____	