## ORDINANCE No. 187564

\*Authorize the Director of Portland Parks & Recreation or their designee with the power to tow vehicles parked in violation of parking restrictions within Park property. (Ordinance; amend Code Section 16.70.560)

The City of Portland ordains:

## Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. Pursuant to Portland City Code 16.70.560 Subsection B., the Director of Portland Parks & Recreation is authorized to implement parking and traffic regulations and restrictions within Park property.
- 2. Portland City Code 16.70.560 Subsection B is intended for the safe and efficient operation of parks and for the welfare of Park property.
- 3. In order to streamline enforcement activities and reduce the strain on City resources and staff, it is essential that the Director or their designee have authority to tow vehicles parked in violation of parking regulations within park property, and Portland City Code 16.70.560 Subsections B and C should be amended to facilitate that goal.

## NOW, THEREFORE, The Council Directs:

- a. PCC 16.70.560 Subsection B is amended as follows:
  - B. With approval of the Commissioner In Charge, the Superintendent Director of Portland Parks & Recreation may restrict or prohibit traffic or types of traffic and parking in City parks as defined in Title 20 and golf courses. Signs giving notice of any restriction or prohibition imposed under this Subsection shall be posted and maintained by the Superintendent Director of Portland Parks & Recreation in a conspicuous manner and place to inform the public. It is unlawful for any person to violate any restriction or prohibition imposed under this Subsection after notice thereof has been posted.
- b. PCC 16.70.560 Subsection C is amended as follows:
  - C. The Bureau of Police or the Director of Portland Parks & Recreation or the Director's designee has authority to enforce the provisions of this Section- and is authorized to order that a vehicle parked in violation of such restrictions or prohibitions be towed in the manner provided in this Title.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists because delay in the City's approval would impair the City's ability to fulfill its obligation to ensure proper regulation, safety, and welfare of park property as a matter of public concern; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council:

JAN 27 2016

Commissioner Amanda Fritz Prepared by: Galina Burley Date Prepared: 12/22/15

Mary Hull Caballero
Auditor of the City of Portland

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Commissioner Amanda Fritz	CLERK USE: DATE FILED
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL  Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales  Position 1/Utilities - Fritz August Fritz  Position 2/Works - Fish  Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman	Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland  By:  Deputy
Position 4/Safety - Novick BUREAU APPROVAL	ACTION TAKEN:
Bureau: Parks & Recreation Bureau Head: Mike Abbaté  Prepared by: Galina Burley Date Prepared: 12/22/15	
Impact Statement Completed ⊠ Amends Budget □	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes \( \sum \) No \( \sum \)	
City Auditor Office Approval:	*
City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter	
Council Meeting Date 1/27/16	

AGENDA		
TIME CERTAIN □ Start time:		
Total amount of time needed: (for presentation, testimony and discussion)		
CONSENT & Pulled		
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FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	<b>/</b>	
2. Fish	2. Fish		
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	-	
4. Novick	4. Novick		
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