

## IMPACT STATEMENT

**Legislation title:** \*Authorize application to U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Community Planning and Development, Office of HIV/AIDS Housing for a grant in the approximate amount of \$700,000 to integrate HIV/AIDS housing services with services for survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking (Ordinance)

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**Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:**

This legislation would authorize application to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for a Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) grant in the approximate amount of \$700,000 to integrate HIV/AIDS housing services with services for survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking. In partnership with Cascade AIDS Project and Bradley Angle House, the proposed project will provide housing assistance and supportive services to low-income persons living with HIV/AIDS (PLWHA) who are homeless, or in need of transitional housing or other housing assistance, as a result of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking; and for whom emergency shelter services or other crisis intervention services are unavailable or insufficient.

**Financial and budgetary impacts:**

This HOPWA grant could bring approximately \$700,000 in federal funds to the community for a grant period of three years, planned to be budgeted across the Portland Housing Bureau FY 16/17, 17/18 and 18/19 budgets. The grant requires no match.

**Community impacts and community involvement:**

As required by federal regulations, a Citizen Participation Plan (CPP) describing the overall framework for public involvement was developed and adopted with the 2011-2016 Consolidated Plan. A series of hearing and public meetings were held regarding the development of the Plan, in all areas of the city to ensure access to a broad range of community members. Translation services were provided when requested. All hearings locations were accessible to persons with disabilities. All documents were posted on the Portland Housing Bureau website.

In addition to the CPP process, the Home for Everyone (HFE) Coordinating Board, the governing body for our Continuum of Care, the Portland Housing Advisory Commission, the bureau's advisory body, and a resource advisory subcommittee of the HFE Coordinating Board, have reviewed, or will review the Continuum of Care grant application. These boards include representation from four jurisdictions (Portland, Gresham, Multnomah County and Home Forward), as well as community stakeholders. Also, PHB has conducted a series of public meetings and focus groups focused on the topic of prevention, housing and support services for people experiencing homelessness in the development of its Strategic Plan.

### Budgetary Impact Worksheet

**Does this action change appropriations?**

- ☐ YES: Please complete the information below.  
☒ NO: Skip this section