

POWELL-DIVISION TRANSIT & DEVELOPMENT PROJECT LOCAL ACTION PLANIF YOU WISH TO SPEAK TO CITY COUNCIL, **PRINT** YOUR NAME, ADDRESS, AND EMAIL.

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From: Sara Bentley <sbentley@pcc.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, July 26, 2016 4:47 PM
To: Moore-Love, Karla
Cc: Dacanay, Radcliffe
Subject: Written Testimony
Attachments: JH Testimony 072716.pdf

Please accept the attached written testimony that I am sending on behalf of Jessica Howard, Campus President of Portland Community College Southeast; 2305 SE 82nd Ave, Portland, 97216; 971-722-6232. In her testimony, Jessica describes her support of the Powell-Division Transit and Development Project.

Thank you,

Sara Bentley
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July 26, 2016

To: Portland City Council
RE: Testimony for the Portland Local Action Plan

I strongly support the Powell-Division Transit and Development Project (and the Portland Local Action Plan), because it will connect southeast Portland neighborhoods, many of which have been historically under-served, with critical resources for upward mobility. Of particular note, passengers along the proposed Division route will be able to access Portland Community College Southeast Campus and Mt. Hood Community College in Gresham for both academic offerings and for business advising through the Small Business Development Centers located at each institution.

In addition, the project will result in an actionable plan for key places (future station areas) and improved mobility to address long-standing infrastructure and investment issues along Powell-Division.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Howard", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Jessica Howard, Ph.D.
Campus President
Portland Community College, Southeast Campus