

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: *Authorize a Special Appropriation grant agreement with Familias en Acción in an amount not to exceed \$60,000 to provide culturally and linguistically appropriate health education to low-income Latino families in Portland (Ordinance)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

Familias en Acción is a non-profit corporation providing culturally and linguistically appropriate health education to low-income Latino families in Portland.

Familias en Acción's project provides evidence-based health information to Latino families who are less likely to have health insurance or access to preventive healthcare, and who are at risk for chronic diseases.

Familias en Acción submitted a grant application for the FY2016-17 special appropriations grants competitive process and was selected as one of the twenty to be awarded a grant.

Familias en Acción's mission is consistent with Council's desire to promote healthier people.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

This action will authorize a special appropriations grant to enlarge the grantee's capacity to address health disparities and increase the number of persons accessing opportunities to improve their health literacy level and health outcomes. Funding for this grant is available in the FY2016-17 budget in the General Fund Special Appropriations.

Community impacts and community involvement:

Funding allows Familias en Acción to expand their community health education program to meet the needs of low income Latinos and expand their culturally specific chronic disease prevention and self-management program targeting low income Latinos in Portland.

Budgetary Impact Worksheet

Does this action change appropriations?

☐ YES: Please complete the information below.

☒ NO: Skip this section

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount