

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: *Pay claim of Dean Lindstrom and Michele Chernesky, in the sum of \$150,000 involving the Bureau of Environmental Services (Ordinance)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

This Ordinance settles a property damage claim brought by Dean Lindstrom and Michele Chernesky, resulting from erosion and soil slumping on their property in northwest Portland.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

This legislation will have no impact on City revenue.

Total cost to the City to settle the claim is \$150,000. The source of funding is the City's Insurance and Claims Fund. All cost of the settlement is in the 2017-2018 fiscal year. This Ordinance does not amend the budget.

Community impacts and community involvement:

This Ordinance settles a tort claim resulting from erosion and soil slumping involving the Bureau of Environmental Services. No public involvement or input was sought regarding this Ordinance. The City Attorney's Office and Risk Management have concluded that it is not appropriate to have public involvement in settlement negotiations regarding tort claims or claims against the City.

No future public involvement is anticipated or necessary. Approval by City Council of this Ordinance will fully settle a tort claim against the City of 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