

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: Appoint members to the Rental Services Commission for terms to expire September 2019 and September 2020 (Report)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

This legislation is to appoint members to the newly created Rental Services Commission (RSC). The mission of the RSC is to advise the Director of the Portland Housing Bureau, the Housing Commissioner, and the Portland City Council on issues related to landlord-tenant housing regulation and programs, and to provide a forum for public input on the rental housing market.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

None

Community impacts and community involvement:

The Rental Services Commission mandate in City Code requires it to have membership that takes into account the socio-economic, gender, racial, ethnic, cultural, and geographic diversity of the City of Portland. In addition, Code requires that membership appointment shall achieve a balanced perspective encompassing knowledge of fair housing, rent-regulated and market-rate rental housing, landlord-tenant law, property management, renter-owner advocacy, rental housing access, and rental housing health & safety.

The meetings of the Commission will be public meetings, with input from the community invited and actively pursued.

100% Renewable Goal:

N/A

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