

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: * Amend an Intergovernmental Agreement with Multnomah County to extend the Sex Buyers Accountability and Diversion Program through December 31, 2018 (Ordinance; amend Contract No. 30002122)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

The purpose of this legislation is to extend the existing Intergovernmental Agreement for an additional 12-months for education to persons arrested for solicitation of prostitution about the legal, social, and health ramifications of the commercial sex trade. This is the fourth amendment.

The County contracts with LifeWorks Northwest to provide assistance in the design, development, and implementation of the Sex Buyers Accountability and Diversion Program (SBAD) program. A flat fee of \$1,000 will be charged to each participant.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

There are no costs associated with this legislation. LifeWorks retains 10% or \$1,400 for each session conducted, whichever is greater, as reimbursement for administrative and direct costs. The remainder is distributed to Multnomah County District Attorney at 33%, the Portland Police Bureau at 34%, and LifeWorks the remaining 33%.

The Police Bureau uses their portion of the program revenue to fund sex trafficking missions and investigations.

Community impacts and community involvement:

Anticipated impacts in the community involve continued decrease in crimes, which impact neighborhood livability. Community and business groups identified issues of concern as part of the original 2011 agreement.

Budgetary Impact Worksheet

Does this action change appropriations?

☐ **YES:** Please complete the information below.

☒ **NO:** Skip this section

Submitted by
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Deputy Mike Gallagher,

The day I met you I have to admit I was a bit stressed by your determination and commitment to the investigation, Nothing I can do will show my true measure of appreciation.

Your taskforce showed me a side of law enforcement that I had yet to be associated with, your team shows respect, understanding and positivity in their work, its extremely motivating and supportive.

I would still be lost, lonely, and surviving day to day without the NOW Program and the effort of the police department.

My participation in NOW helped me to find honesty and forgiveness, I learned about my trauma and understood it new.

I respect what your efforts are pursuing, I wish you and your taskforce the best of luck in the cause.

Thank you! ~~_____~~

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

It was very powerful when the survivor came and shared her story.

The presentation along with the things she said made the reality of the crime far more powerful.

I would recommend adding more survivor stories.

I learned alot.

-Thanks

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

This class changes my life, and the day that I made a bad decision. I will going to my normal life. I use to be a good people. a lot of love me, but I didn't love myself.

Thanks for the class, It was an eye opener!

Great System! Showed me things I never would have thought. Kinda bashes on men but I understand lol.

Bien

Si estubo bien la clase
si Aprendia Algo

the class was good!

Vivir la vida correctamete

Was shocked at how young girls start and the likelihood of being with an underage girl.

This is very big eye opener. Demystified preconceived ideas about sex workers.

Very good class that will prevent me to make that bad behavior again.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

I think the class was incredibly informative. When I got a traffic ticket, I was given a similar opportunity to get it dismissed by taking the high risk driving class. I feel like this class, as well as the driving class, should be standard, required, curriculum for all citizens. I really enjoyed Mike and Kendall's sensibility. My only complaint is the other 2 speakers who came on in the morning. They had some solid information and the video was great. However, they weren't as welcoming or inviting. A little bit abrasive.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

I WILL OBSERVE RULE OF LAW FROM THIS EXPERIENCE REGARDLESS OF MY AGREEMENT IF ITS JUST.

EFFECT ON WORKERS IS SO MUCH WORSE THAN I IMAGINED IT WAS. FOR THAT REASON ALONE I WOULD NOT DO IT AGAIN.

ITS NOT JUST THE BUYERS. MAKING IT ILLEGAL IS THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF TRAFFICKING AND UNDERAGE ENTRY AND EXPLOITATION AND POLICE DO MAKE FEDERAL MONEY OFF OF THE ACTIVITY

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Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

inviting providing Johns to talk
about there past and

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Well organized

STRUCTURED APPROPRIATELY

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

It was informative. The focus can be
more towards why "Johns" buy sex. The presentations
were very good and informative about the
overall crime.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

VERY INFORMATIVE, MAKES YOU SEE THIS WHOLE
THING FROM A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

I really appreciate this class, it help me see things and realize who really is benefiting from this industry, I have been well informed and I really like all the research and work that this community leaders put into this program, I thank you for the opportunity to get a chance to change my behaviour and for providing this resource to help me accomplish it.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Nota: Hola Nosmas queria felicitar el programa que es de mucha ayuda. El pensar que tengo 2 hijas en vida a dado un cambio mas porque uno de las victimas pueden ser una de mis hijas

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Dont really have much to say, but this class really help me with what i was going through with at the time.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

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I didn't want to come here
or be here but a few speaker
It's open my eyes and I have
learn a lot and ~~use~~ use what learn
to do better.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

I learned a lot for today's class. ~~?~~
It was informative.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Having another guest speaker (victim) talk really ~~gets~~
makes you understand everything that was being
talked about in the prior slideshow presentations.
I think bringing in a "PIMP" maybe will
round out the whole experience and education
on both aspects of this "business"

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

The program was very insightful and I appreciated the opportunity to attend. Thank you.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Translation ongoing throughout class was ~~is~~ in direct confliction of the classroom rule #3 and was extremely distracting to the content being delivered. ~~and~~

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Very well structured class, excellent flow of topics, very moving speaker (survivor). Very informative really opened my eyes to the victims that the sex industry creates.

Thank you

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

- 1 found the statistics and information on management/pimps helpful, as well as background info and what leads to this lifestyle, as well as the consequences/effects.
- 1 would have liked to hear more of the psychology side of it, dealing with needs and healthy relationships, as I feel these are ways to progress and move forward, rather than focusing on what I did wrong, which I am well aware of.
- 1 think the program was helpful in considering the other party in dealing with others, and how my actions might affect them.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

I thought the class was really insightful. It showed me things I didn't think existed. It showed me most of the time it's not a choice. I thought it was expensive but... they got to pay society's debt!

- (a.) Yes
b. No

41) How many biological or stepchildren do you have?

- a. 0
b. 1
(c) 2
d. 3
e. 4 or more

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

I will learn from this class today and
I never do it again Thank you.

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I never want this to happen to my
Daughter wish I took this class
earlier

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I feel as though I learned a lot of info. that I had
never known. I believe the way there were multiple
different presenters make it easier for me to relate. I feel so awful
for my actions and had no idea what they could have possibly supported
or lead to

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Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

This class gave me a new outlook on the victims of prostitution
and sexual abuse. The numbers alone gave me a sense of
shock and honestly, remorse for having contributed to such
disgusting practices I never once realized that the women
in the industry were treated so poorly. I have been given
new knowledge that I believe is empowering. I think this class
is a healthy way to educate men on the dangers of prostitution.
I truly believe that every human life deserves to be treated with respect.

b. No

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- d. 3
- e. 4 or more

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Very educational enjoyed everybody speaking
and learned a lot of important information
that I didn't know!! Thank you!!

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Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Class was good info just
would like to see internet stop
the ads are too much too many/ Not

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many

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

This has open up my eyes in ways I didn't think
possible. I honestly believed that the girls out there
were self employed. The speakers were very good.
Thank you for what you do.

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Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

I learned a lot taking this class. About P.I.M.P.
about that this is a big business and a lot
of women get hurt, and also that without
her decision.

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Very good Information C

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Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

There were a lot of helpful resources, the speakers were good to bring a new perspective, the therapist was understanding and seemed to have knowledge about the subject. I believe that there are a lot of ways to help these girls in taking them off the street and start a new life and I feel that is the most important part of this project. Education is good but it has to come from all the, schools, television, music, police, officials, leaders and social behaviour might change if everyone makes an effort, because really the blame it's on all of us with every conduct that promotes sex out there, and we shouldn't hide that.

This class helped a lot!
I learned a lot and I would recommend this class for anyone who even thought about buying sex.

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Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Good information from presenters that were very knowledgeable about the sex industry. Having the survivor come in to speak made the reality of how bad the sex industry is for the women involved in it.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

It was very informative and eye opening. Would benefit more if there is more psychological discussion. So much of healing is needed as a trans/bi community.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

THE VICTIMS PART WAS VERY POWERFUL

WHEN SHE HIT A NERVE AND GOT IT SET OFF US I COULD REALLY FEEL HOW BAD THIS WHOLE DEAL IS.

Please write any additional thoughts you may have in the space provided:

Great Course!

Weaknesses

- powerpoints with lots of information
- No conversation during session
- translator was too laugh
- guidance and support
- Community opportunities

Strengths

- Support with the process
- great location
- Lot of information
- Interaction with police officers

Thank you, All!

Por favor escriba cualquier idea adicional que tenga en el espacio siguiente:

Estubo bien aprendi cosas que
no sabia