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The City of Portland Ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Ordinance No. 172614, passed by the Council on August 19, 1998 and effective as of October 1, 1998, authorized establishment of a Parks and Recreation System Development Charge (SDC) and created a new City Code Chapter 17.13.
2. Since it was created, Chapter 17.13 has been updated, in ordinances 172732, 172758, 173386, 173565, 174617, 176511, 176955, 179008, 181669, 183447, 183448, 187150, 189050, 189244, 189323, and most recently in 189687.
3. Portland Parks & Recreation has proposed further updates to City Code Chapter 17.13 to update the fee index methodology.
4. The amendments are intended to ensure the annual index is made using reliable data, to smooth the fee changes, and to reduce the possible annual maximum fee increase to 6%.
5. Due to the economic uncertainties created by the COVID-19 pandemic, the Parks SDCs will not be indexed for the fiscal year 2020-2021.
6. It is in the best interest of the people of the City of Portland to adopt this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. An amendment of Portland City Code Chapter 17.13 as shown in Exhibit A.
- b. A delay in indexing the Parks SDC until fiscal year 2021-2022.

Passed by the Council: **April 15, 2020**

Mayor Ted Wheeler  
Prepared by: Sarah Huggins Date  
Prepared: 3/19/2020

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: <b>Mayor Wheeler</b>	CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>3/31/20</u>
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL Mayor—Finance & Administration - Wheeler	Digitally signed by Sonia Schmanski Date: 2020.03.31 10:24:43 -07'00'  <b>Mary Hull Caballero</b> Auditor of the City of Portland  Digitally signed by Karla Moore-Love Date: 2020.04.01 14:27:11 -07'00' Deputy
Position 1/Utilities - Fritz	
Position 2/Works - Vacant	
Position 3/Affairs - Hardesty	
Position 4/Safety - Eudaly	
BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: <b>Portland Parks &amp; Recreation</b> Bureau Head: <b>Adena Long</b>	ACTION TAKEN: <b>April 8, 2020 Passed to Second Reading April 15, 2020 at 9:30 a.m.</b>
Prepared by: <b>Sarah Huggins</b> Date Prepared: <b>3/26/20</b>	
Impact Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/>	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances	
City Attorney Approval: <b>Eric Shaffner</b> required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter	
Council Meeting Date <b>4/8/20</b>	

<b>AGENDA</b>
<b>TIME CERTAIN</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Start time: _____  Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)
<b>CONSENT</b> <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>REGULAR</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total amount of time needed: <u>10 mins</u> (for presentation, testimony and discussion)

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	✓	
2. Vacant	2. Vacant		
3. Hardesty	3. Hardesty	✓	
4. Eudaly	4. Eudaly	✓	
Wheeler	Wheeler	✓	