

ORDINANCE No. 190379

*Authorize grant agreements with five organizations for the Constructing Civic Dialogues Grant Program at the Office of Community & Civic Life not to exceed \$248,319 (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. On September 16, 2020 Council passed Ordinance No. 190119 consolidating all previous Constructing Civic Dialogue Grant Program ordinances into one to achieve one program with multiple community-based grantees with a total award budget of \$245,074 for FY 2020-2021.
2. For the grant cycle in fiscal year 2021-2022, Civic Life launched a public request for proposals from non-profit and for-profit entities (e.g., community-based organizations, individuals, firms, teams, or consultants) with demonstrated experience in fostering the development of foundational skills around community conflict resolution, anti-racism, and communication. Grantees will provide this expertise through mediation services, trainings, skill building, problem-solving services, coaching, public dialogue, listening sessions, and other interactive opportunities at no charge to participants that build common understanding from unique perspectives.
3. A total of \$248,319 General Fund dollars is allocated in the Office of Community & Civic Life's FY 2021-22 proposed budget for distribution of these grants as part of the Constructing Civic Dialogues Grant Program.
4. A diverse grant selection committee of City staff evaluated the proposals in the context of the purpose and requirements of the grant program. Twenty-nine grants were submitted for over \$1.6M in requests. The committee came to consensus on their recommendations to fund five organizations, listed in the summary spreadsheet attached as Exhibit A.
5. Civic Life has determined The Curiosity Paradox, SE Uplift Neighborhood Programs, Inc who fiscally sponsors Black & Beyond the Binary Collective, Vo Vo, Street Roots Inc, and Bridge-Pamoja are qualified to provide the services in accordance with the City of Portland grant contract agreement language. The City Attorney's Office has approved the grant agreement template attached in a form substantially in accordance with Exhibit B that specify the scope of the projects to be conducted by the grantee(s) and the funds to be allocated.
6. Funds for any renewals of the grant agreements can be allocated without the need for an additional ordinance authorizing the expense, provided funds for this purpose are allocated in the Civic Life budget adopted by City Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Director of Civic Life (Director) is authorized to execute grant agreements in a form substantially in accordance with the amounts listed in the summary spreadsheet attached as Exhibit A and in an amount not to exceed \$248,319 total for Fiscal Year 2021-22 provided that funds are appropriated in the Civic Life budget adopted by Council.
- b. The Director is authorized to execute amendments to the grant agreement that renew the grant agreement for Fiscal Years 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 in an amount of up to \$263,442 total per year if funds are appropriated in the Civic Life budget adopted by Council.

Section 2. The Council declares an emergency exists because a delay in funding could result in delay in no charge services to foster understanding of differing perspectives, generative public dialogue, and constructive conflict to the community through this amendment. Therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: April 28, 2021

Commissioner Jo Ann Hardesty
Prepared by: Carlee Smith Date
Prepared: March 25, 2021

Mary Hull Caballero

Auditor of the City of Portland

By *Christina Thomas*

Deputy

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<p style="text-align: center;">COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</p>	<p>Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By: <u><i>Keelan McClymont</i></u> Deputy</p> <p>ACTION TAKEN:</p>
Mayor—Finance & Administration - Wheeler	
Position 1/Utilities - Rubio	
Position 2/Works - Ryan	
Position 3/Affairs - Hardesty <i>John Hardesty</i>	
Position 4/Safety - Mapps	
BUREAU APPROVAL	
Bureau: Office of Community & Civic Life Bureau Head:	
Prepared by: Carlee Smith Date Prepared: 3/25/2021	
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: Glenn Pullilove required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter <small>Digitally signed by Glenn Pullilove Date: 2021.03.31 13:07:58 -0700</small>	
Council Meeting Date April 28, 2021	

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