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ORDINANCE No. 183974

* Authorize a Sponsorship Agreement with the Center for Architecture related to the Mayor's Symposium on City Design and the Design Excellence Initiative (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. Oregon is founded upon an appreciation and love for the natural environment in which we live. The Design Excellence initiative will enable citizens and design professionals to attain greater understanding of design excellence, and the components that should be examined to recognize and achieve design excellence. The Design Excellence initiative has engaged a partnership of collaborators to participate in the formation of the initiative.
- 2. The City of Portland and the Center for Architecture have applied for a \$200,000 National Endowment for the Arts grant to support the Design Excellence Initiative.
- 3. Portland will serve as the first city to explore how design can be elevated and then apply the implementation tools developed for the Design Excellence initiative. Portland has identified publicly owned land slated for future redevelopment, and upcoming development projects, to serve as potential demonstration sites for the first Design Excellence program. The available sites are located in an economically disadvantaged area of Portland.
- 4. In 2010, a series of symposia, conferences and discussions with key stakeholders will explore the issues and inform the creation of the initiative. The first symposium, sponsored by the Mayor's Office, was held on April 23, 2010, and further symposia will be scheduled for this fall.
- 5. Local match in the amount of \$7,500 will be provided by funds already appropriated in Spring BuMP 2010 in the Mayor's Office budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. The Mayor, or a delegate in the Mayor's Office, is hereby authorized to execute a sponsorship agreement for \$7,500 in one-time funds with the Center for Architecture in conformance with the agreement attached to the original of this ordinance.
- b. The Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver warrants chargeable to the General Fund when demand is present and approved by the proper authority.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to begin immediate implementation of the Mayor's Symposia and the Design Excellence Initiative. Therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: JUL 14 2010

Mayor Sam Adams Prepared by: Amy Ruiz Date Prepared: July 8, 2010

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Agenda No. ORDINANCE NO. Title

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* Authorize a Sponsorship Agreement with the Center for Architecture related to the Mayor's Symposium on City Design and the Design Excellence Initiative; Authorize payment of funds to assist in this initiative (Ordinance)

INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Sam Adams	CLERK USE: DATE FILED JUL 09 2010					
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL Mayor—Finance and Administration, Adams	LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland By:					
Position 1/Utilities - Fritz Position 2/Works - Fish						
Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman		Deputy				
Position 4/Safety - Leonard	ACTION TAKEN:					
BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: Bureau Head:						
Prepared by: Amy Ruiz Date Prepared: July 8, 2010						
Financial Impact Statement Completed Amends Budget Not Required						
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes No						
Council Meeting Date July 14, 2010						
City Attorney Approval						Ì
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