## **ORDINANCE No.** 184030

Authorize an Intergovernmental Agreement with the State of Oregon to receive business data related to City business recycling regulations (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds that:

- 1. The State of Oregon has adopted aggressive waste reduction goals that rely on reducing garbage and increasing recycling for all sectors—residential, multifamily and commercial. ORS Chapter 459A.
- 2. On April 30, 2008, City Council adopted Resolution No. 36601 that established the following goals for the commercial solid waste and recycling system:
  - promote sustainability of the solid waste and recycling system that includes maximum efficiency, equity and economic vitality, improved worker safety and reduced environmental and human health impacts over the entire life cycle of the materials; and
  - minimize the impact of harmful wastes by targeting toxicity and reducing greenhouse gases emissions; and
  - reduce per capita waste generation below 2005 levels by the year 2015; and
  - maximize recovery of all waste with a target of 75% by the year 2015 and promote highest value use of the recovered materials.
- 3. The commercial sector generates over 75% of Portland's waste stream.
- 4. The Bureau of Planning and Sustainability has developed an agreement with Metro and the State of Oregon to obtain Quarterly Census and Employment and Wages (QCEW) data to identify businesses within Portland for the purpose of providing assistance and information to about the City's new recycling and waste prevention requirements.
- 5. The Bureau of Planning and Sustainability will administer this Intergovernmental Agreement to engage and assist Portland's more than 20,000 businesses, to increase participation in the City's commercial recycling and waste prevention programs.
- 6. Under the proposed intergovernmental agreement, the State will provide the confidential business data at no cost to the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, the council directs:

a. The Mayor and City Auditor are authorized to enter into an intergovernmental agreement with the State of Oregon Employment Department, substantially similar to that attached as Exhibit A to this Ordinance.

b. The Director of the Bureau of Planning and Sustainability is authorized to enter into one-year extensions or renewals of the intergovernmental agreement, or amendments that do no increase the City's financial risks, through December 31, 2013.

Passed by the Council, AUG 04 2010

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LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland

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