

ORDINANCE No.

184126

Approve Intergovernmental Agreement with the East Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District through their Partners in Conservation Program to develop Neighborhood Forest Management Plans (Ordinance).

The City of Portland ordains:


Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Portland Parks & Recreation (PP&R) has received a grant award of \$15,925 from the East Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District (EMSWCD) to develop, test, and refine the process for creating Neighborhood Forest Management Plans (NFMP).
2. The process for developing Neighborhood Forest Management Plans begins with the recruitment of citizens and stakeholders to inventory their neighborhood street trees and establish tree goals. These citizens and stakeholders will then create written Neighborhood Forest Management Plans, design and implement activities to accomplish the goals of the Plan, and regularly assess progress off the Plan over a long term period.
3. The NFMP will guide and promote a sustainable urban forest within our local community, and utilizes education, incentives, and regulation on public and private property for the benefit of all residents.
4. The program will assist PP&R staff, citizens, and partners in implementing actions that ensure that the urban forest provides optimal functions and benefits.

NOW, THEREFORE, The Council Directs:

- a. The Mayor is hereby authorized to accept the grant award of \$15,925 from the East Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District to develop, test, and refine the process for creating Neighborhood Forest Management Plans (NFMP).

Passed by the Council: SEP 22 2010
Commissioner Fish
Prepared by: Kellie Torres Walker
September 2, 2010

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland
By: 
Deputy

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INTRODUCED BY
Commissioner/Auditor:
Nick Fish

COMMISSIONER APPROVAL

Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams

Position 1/Utilities - Fritz

Position 2/Works - Fish *Nick Fish*

Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman

Position 4/Safety - Leonard

BUREAU APPROVAL

Bureau: Portland Parks & Recreation
Bureau Head: Zari Santner *Zari Santner*

Prepared by: Kellie Torres Walker
Date Prepared: 9/02/10

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
09/15/10

City Attorney Approval

CLERK USE: DATE FILED SEP 10 2010

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

By: *Nick Fish*
Deputy

ACTION TAKEN:
SEP 15 2010 PASSED TO SECOND READING SEP 22 2010 9:30 A.M.

AGENDA

TIME CERTAIN
Start time: _____

Total amount of time needed: _____
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

CONSENT

REGULAR
Total amount of time needed: _____
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
2. Fish	2. Fish	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
4. Leonard	4. Leonard	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Adams	Adams	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	