

ORDINANCE No. 185448 *As Amended*

*Amend tree regulations to change the effective date from February 1, 2013 to July 1, 2013 (Ordinance; amend Ordinance Nos. 184522 and 184524)

The City of Portland Ordains:

Section 1: The Council finds:

1. On April 13, 2011, the City Council adopted two ordinances that amended Title 11 (Ordinance 184522) and Title 33 (Ordinance 184524) of the city code in order to implement the Citywide Tree Policy Review and Regulatory Improvement Project (Citywide Tree Project).
2. Since adoption of the Citywide Tree Project, the Bureaus of Development Services, Parks and Recreation and Environmental Services have been making progress toward implementation of the new Title 11, Trees as well as amendments to Title 33 Planning and Zoning. A program coordinator was co-hired by the Bureaus of Parks and Recreation and Development Services to assist bureau staff in mapping new permitting processes, developing informational brochures and forms, and setting up new systems. The Bureau of Environmental Services has been leading the development of a new tree informational website.
3. Currently, Title 11, Trees, companion title amendments, and the second phase of Title 33 amendments are scheduled to become effective on February 1, 2013. However, severe budget constraints and continued strain on the local economy is projected for FY 2012-13, limiting available General Fund dollars and discouraging additional development-related fee increases. As a result, the implementing bureaus have recommended delaying the effective date for Title 11 and the other code amendments until July 1, 2013. The bureaus have submitted a smaller add package to continue moving toward full implementation.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. Amend Section 2(2) of Ordinance 184522 to change the effective date to July 1, 2013.
- b. Amend Section 2 of Ordinance 184524 to change the effective date, except as printed in Exhibit A to that Ordinance, to July 1, 2013.

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to avoid any lapse in regulations in this area or detriment to the public health and safety; therefore, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council: **JUN 21 2012**

Commissioner Nick Fish
Prepared by: Hannah Kuhn
Date Prepared: May 18, 2012


LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

By *Gayla Jennings*

Deputy

Agenda No. **185448** As Amended
ORDINANCE NO.
Title

***Amend Ordinances 184552 and 184524, relating to tree regulations, to change the effective date from February 1, 2013 to July 1, 2013. (Ordinance; amend Ordinance Nos. 184522 and 184524)**

INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Cmrs Fish and Saltzman	CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>JUN 15 2012</u>
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL	LaVonne Griffin-Valade Auditor of the City of Portland
Mayor—Finance and Administration - Adams	
Position 1/Utilities - Fritz	
Position 2/Works - Fish <i>Marked for Fish</i> By: <u></u> Deputy	
Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman <i>Don Saltzman</i>	
Position 4/Safety - Leonard	ACTION TAKEN:
BUREAU APPROVAL	
Bureau: Cmrs Fish and Saltzman Bureau Head: Cmrs Fish and Saltzman	
Prepared by: Hannah Kuhn Date Prepared: May 18, 2012	
Financial Impact & Public Involvement 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"/>	
Council Meeting Date June 21, 2012	
City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter	

AGENDA
TIME CERTAIN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Start time: 2:00PM
Total amount of time needed: 0 (for presentation, testimony and discussion)
CONSENT <input type="checkbox"/>
REGULAR <input type="checkbox"/> Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz	✓	
2. Fish	2. Fish	✓	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman	✓	
4. Leonard	4. Leonard	✓	
Adams	Adams	✓	