

RESOLUTION No. 37163 As Amended

Declare intent to pilot the Community-Initiated Neighborhood Trails Process to allow community organizations to identify and improve undeveloped right-of-ways to trail standards (Resolution)

WHEREAS, the City of Portland has undeveloped right-of-ways (ROWs) in many parts of the city that some residents are interested in turning into urban trails; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Transportation acknowledges how urban trails can help increase pedestrian connectivity in areas of the City that lack sidewalks providing connections to schools, parks, commercial areas, and transit networks; and

WHEREAS, issues have arisen about how the locations of the trails are chosen, permitting of improvements, environmental concerns, maintenance, and resident and neighborhood support of the trails; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Transportation worked with the Bureau of Environmental Services, Portland Parks and Recreation, Bureau of Development Services, Office of Neighborhood Involvement, City Attorney, and community stakeholders to create the Community-Initiated Neighborhood Trails Process attached as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the proposed project would offer guidance for community groups citywide who wish to identify and build trails on unimproved ROWs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council directs the Bureau of Transportation to begin a one-year pilot of the Community-Initiated Neighborhood Trails Process starting on January 1st, 2016 attached as Exhibit A; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Bureau of Transportation will conduct an evaluation of the Community-Initiated Neighborhood Trails Process at the conclusion of the one-year pilot period to evaluate the success of the pilot project, what changes, if necessary, need to be made, and provide a Report to City Council on the results of the pilot project and evaluation.

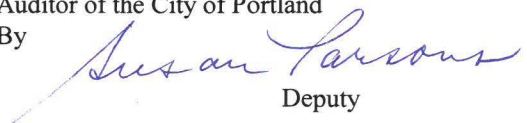
Adopted by the Council, NOV 04 2015

Commissioner Steve Novick
Prepared by: Sara Schooley:slg
Date Prepared: September 16, 2015

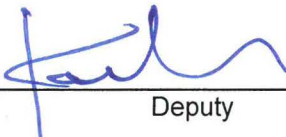
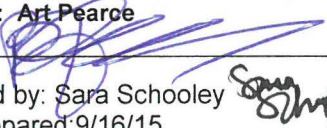
Mary Hull Caballero

Auditor of the City of Portland

By


Deputy

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<p style="text-align: center;">INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: COMMISSIONER STEVE NOVICK</p>	<p>CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>OCT 09 2015</u></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">COMMISSIONER APPROVAL</p> <p>Mayor—Finance and Administration - Hales</p> <p>Position 1/Utilities - Fritz</p> <p>Position 2/Works - Fish</p> <p>Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman</p> <p>Position 4/Safety - Novick <i>AN</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland</p> <p>By: <u></u> Deputy</p> <p>ACTION TAKEN:</p> <p>OCT 14 2015 CONTINUED TO OCT 28 2015 9:30 A.M. <i>As Amended</i></p> <p>OCT 15 2015 <i>RESCHEDULED TO</i> NOV 04 2015 9:30 A.M.</p> <p>OCT 28 2015 <i>RESCHEDULED TO</i> NOV 04 2015 9:30 A.M.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">BUREAU APPROVAL</p> <p>Bureau: Transportation <i>ANP</i> Policy, Planning and Projects Manager: Art Pearce Director: </p> <p>Prepared by: Sara Schooley <i>Sara Schooley</i> Date Prepared: 9/16/15 Supervisor: Art Pearce</p>	
<p>Impact Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances</p>	
<p>City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter</p>	
<p>Council Meeting Date OCTOBER 7, 2015</p>	

AGENDA

TIME CERTAIN
 Start time: 9:45

Total amount of time needed: 1hr15min
 (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	✓	
2. Fish	_____	
3. Saltzman	✓	
4. Novick	✓	
Hales	✓	

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