

**Agenda No. 306**

**ORDINANCE NO.**

\*Pay property damage claim of Jeff Reese in the sum of \$5,233 resulting from a motor vehicle collision involving the Portland Police Bureau (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

**Introduced by**

Mayor Ted Wheeler

Section 1. The Council finds:

**Bureau**

Management and  
Finance  
Revenue and Financial  
Services  
Risk Management

1. Jeff Reese has filed a property damage claim against the City for damages suffered in a motor vehicle collision involving the Portland Police Bureau on December 7, 2020.
2. The claim has been investigated by Risk Management Services. The investigation indicates there is risk the City may be found liable. Therefore, in order to avoid the risk of an adverse jury award, we feel it is prudent to compromise the claim at this time.
3. Risk Management Services recommends the claim be compromised for the total sum of \$5,233.44 with the amount of \$233.44 still due, subject to the claimant providing the City with a release in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

**Prepared by**

Jessica Bird

**Date Prepared**

April 8, 2021

**Requested Council Date**

May 5, 2021

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

**Requested Agenda Type**

Consent

- a) The Mayor and the Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver a check in the amount of \$233.44 made payable to Jeff Reese.
- b) Risk Management Services will execute a payment authorization in the amount set forth in sub-paragraph (a) above.

**Date Filed with Clerk**

April 27, 2021

Section 2. The Council declares that an emergency exists in order to avoid undue and costly delay in

settling this property damage claim; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by Council:

**MARY HULL CABALLERO**

Auditor of the City of Portland

Action Taken:

By

Deputy

Commissioners voted as follows (Yea or Nay)

Rubio -

Ryan -

Hardesty -

Mapps -

Wheeler -

