

## RESOLUTION No.

Support the One Key Question initiative to improve reproductive health care and long-term community outcomes by helping women plan healthy pregnancies and prevent unintended pregnancies (Resolution)

Whereas, all pregnancies and babies should be wanted, planned and as healthy as possible; and

Whereas, almost one in two (48%) pregnancies in Oregon are unintended; and

Whereas, rates of unintended pregnancies disproportionately impact women of color and women in poverty; and

Whereas, women with unintended pregnancies are unlikely to have taken folic acid before conceiving and are less likely to receive prenatal care in the early months of fetal development and through their pregnancies, thus increasing the risk of babies born with health challenges; and

Whereas, women need reliable information, services and referrals in order to have optimal health, planned pregnancies and the best possible birth outcomes; and

Whereas, the Multnomah County Health Department piloted the ONE KEY QUESTION Initiative in a health center as part of an evaluation of care for women and families; and

Whereas, the pilot showed more than 14% of women wanted to become pregnant, yet most of them had not been offered preconception care; and

Whereas, among the women asked the One Key Question, the proportion using no method of contraception decreased from 26% to 4%, and the proportion using the most effective methods increased from 32% to 46%; and

Whereas, ONE KEY QUESTION® is an initiative advocating that health care providers ask women at risk of pregnancy, “Would you like to become pregnant in the next year?” as a routine wellness assessment question. Asking this question gives women the opportunity to engage in conversations about their reproductive health care that can result in planned pregnancies and healthier babies

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, as a provider of housing and other services to people living in poverty, the City of Portland has an interest in assuring that more pregnancies are planned, receive appropriate care, and result in healthy babies; and therefore the Portland City Council endorses the ONE KEY QUESTION® initiative and encourages all our community partners providing health care to ask the One Key Question during health care assessments

Adopted by the Council:

Commissioner Amanda Fritz  
Prepared by: Jasmine Wadsworth  
Date Prepared: 4/17/14

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Portland, Oregon  
**FINANCIAL IMPACT and PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT STATEMENT**  
**For Council Action Items**

(Deliver original to City Budget Office. Retain copy.)

1. Name of Initiator Jasmine Wadsworth		2. Telephone No. 503-823-3008	3. Bureau/Office/Dept. Comm. Fritz
4a. To be filed (hearing date): April 23, 2014	4b. Calendar (Check One) Regular    Consent    4/5ths <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		5. Date Submitted to Commissioner's office and CBO Budget Analyst:
6a. Financial Impact Section: <input type="checkbox"/> Financial impact section completed		6b. Public Involvement Section: <input type="checkbox"/> Public involvement section completed	

**1) Legislation Title:**

Support the ONE KEY QUESTION initiative to improve reproductive health care and long-term community outcomes by helping women plan healthy pregnancies and prevent unintended pregnancies.

**2) Purpose of the Proposed Legislation:**

To endorse One Key Question Initiative

**3) Which area(s) of the city are affected by this Council item? (Check all that apply—areas are based on formal neighborhood coalition boundaries)?**

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> City-wide/Regional | <input type="checkbox"/> Northeast | <input type="checkbox"/> Northwest | <input type="checkbox"/> North |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Central Northeast             | <input type="checkbox"/> Southeast | <input type="checkbox"/> Southwest | <input type="checkbox"/> East  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Central City                  |                                    |                                    |                                |

**FINANCIAL IMPACT**

**4) Revenue: Will this legislation generate or reduce current or future revenue coming to the City? If so, by how much? If so, please identify the source.**

No.

**5) Expense: What are the costs to the City as a result of this legislation? What is the source of funding for the expense? (Please include costs in the current fiscal year as well as costs in future year, including Operations & Maintenance (O&M) costs, if known, and estimates, if not**

known. If the action is related to a grant or contract please include the local contribution or match required. If there is a project estimate, please identify the **level of confidence**.)

None.

**6) Staffing Requirements:**

- **Will any positions be created, eliminated or re-classified in the current year as a result of this legislation?** (If new positions are created please include whether they will be part-time, full-time, limited term, or permanent positions. If the position is limited term please indicate the end of the term.)

No.

- **Will positions be created or eliminated in future years as a result of this legislation?**

No.

*(Complete the following section only if an amendment to the budget is proposed.)*

**7) Change in Appropriations** (If the accompanying ordinance amends the budget please reflect the dollar amount to be appropriated by this legislation. Include the appropriate cost elements that are to be loaded by accounting. Indicate “new” in Fund Center column if new center needs to be created. Use additional space if needed.)

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount

**[Proceed to Public Involvement Section — REQUIRED as of July 1, 2011]**

**PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT**

**8) Was public involvement included in the development of this Council item (e.g. ordinance, resolution, or report)? Please check the appropriate box below:**

- YES:** Please proceed to Question #9.
- NO:** Please, explain why below; and proceed to Question #10.

This is a report designed to encourage public awareness of the campaign, and offer Portlanders the opportunity to ask questions and /or comment in support or opposition to it in a City Council hearing.

**9) If “YES,” please answer the following questions:**

**a) What impacts are anticipated in the community from this proposed Council item?**

**b) Which community and business groups, under-represented groups, organizations, external government entities, and other interested parties were involved in this effort, and when and how were they involved?**

**c) How did public involvement shape the outcome of this Council item?**

**d) Who designed and implemented the public involvement related to this Council item?**

**e) Primary contact for more information on this public involvement process (name, title, phone, email):**

**10) Is any future public involvement anticipated or necessary for this Council item? Please describe why or why not.**

It is hoped that more health care providers and community members will become aware of the campaign and include the One Key Question in conversations between providers and patients. Since the City does not provide or supervise health care directly, no further public involvement activities are envisioned by the City.

	Commissioner Amanda Fritz
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APPROPRIATION UNIT HEAD (Typed name and signature)