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HISPANIC CHAMBER COMMENDS MAYOR ADAMS FOR SUPPORTING LOCAL BUSINESSES

PORTLAND, OR. The Hispanic Metropolitan Chamber (Hispanic Chamber), a local chapter of the US Hispanic Chamber and the largest Hispanic Chamber in the Northwest with 850 members, commends Portland Mayor Sam Adams for cancelling the current parking garage RFP. The City of Portland had announced its Intent to Award the contract to Central Parking, a firm from Nashville, Tennessee.

Since that time local businesses pointed out many discrepancies and concerns with the process. The Hispanic Chamber commends Mayor Adams for listening to the concerns and taking appropriate action. Gale Castillo, the President of the Hispanic Chamber, said "We know that cancelling the current RFP delays the City's process, but we appreciate the Mayor taking the time to make sure that all elements of the contract process is transparent and fair, since this is a significant investment by the city and an important service for local businesses."

For more information regarding the Hispanic Chamber, please visit our website at: www.hmccoregon.com.