DATE: June 24, 2015
TO: Board of Commissioners
FROM: Patrick Quinton, Executive Director
SUBJECT: Report Number 15-43
Tax Supervising and Conservation Commission Public Hearing on and Certification of the Fiscal Year 2015-16 Approved Budget

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED
No action is requested, information only.

SUMMARY
The Tax Supervising and Conservation Commission (TSCC) will hold a public hearing on the Portland Development Commission’s (PDC’s) fiscal year (FY) 2015-16 Approved Budget at a 2:00 p.m. time certain during the PDC Board of Commissioners (Board) meeting on June 24, 2015. Pursuant to Oregon Revised Statutes 294.456, the TSCC must hold a public hearing on PDC’s FY 2015-16 Approved Budget prior to budget adoption by the PDC Board.

The TSCC is an independent impartial panel of citizen volunteers appointed by the governor to monitor the financial affairs of local governments in Multnomah County. The TSCC annually reviews the budgets of all local governments in its jurisdiction to verify compliance with various laws governing local budgets.

The TSCC will prepare questions based on its review of PDC’s FY 2015-16 Approved Budget which was submitted to the TSCC on May 28, 2015, following approval by Portland City Council serving as the PDC Budget Committee. During the public hearing, the TSCC will provide its review of the FY 2015-16 Approved Budget, ask the PDC Board and staff questions, and provide an opportunity for public testimony. Following the hearing, the TSCC will provide a certification letter to the PDC Board noting any objections or recommendations that should be included or considered when the PDC Board adopts the budget.

ATTACHMENTS
None.