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## **FREE FILM SCREENING: “PRICED OUT: 15 YEARS OF GENTRIFICATION IN PORTLAND, OREGON”**

**BEAVERTON, Ore.** – Beaverton City Library presents the documentary “Priced Out: 15 Years of Gentrification in Portland, Oregon” on Sunday, Feb. 18 at 2 p.m. The film is an investigative and personal look at how skyrocketing housing prices are displacing Portland's black community and reshaping the entire city.

The feature-length documentary explores the complexities and contradictions of gentrification and what neighborhood life means after the era of “the ghetto.” The film is a sequel to the 2002 documentary “Northeast Passage: The Inner City and the American Dream.”

Following the screening, there will be a question-and-answer session with the filmmaker.

This program is free and open to the public; no registration is required. For more information, visit [www.BeavertonLibrary.org](http://www.BeavertonLibrary.org) or call 503-644-2197.

Beaverton City Library is one of fifteen member libraries in Washington County Cooperative Library Services (WCCLS), which works to provide responsive and efficient library service countywide through centralized catalog, courier and other services.

The city of Beaverton is home to more than 95,000 residents and is Oregon's sixth largest city. We are a friendly, active and responsive city well-known for our exceptional community services and amenities, helping Beaverton residents enjoy a high quality of life. Ranked in *Money* magazine's Best Places to Live, Beaverton truly is “The Best of Oregon.”

For more information, reminders and community news, visit [www.BeavertonOregon.gov](http://www.BeavertonOregon.gov). Also follow Beaverton on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/CityofBeaverton](https://www.facebook.com/CityofBeaverton) or Twitter at [www.twitter.com/CityofBeaverton](https://www.twitter.com/CityofBeaverton).

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**Caption:** Join us for a free film screening on Sunday, Feb. 18 at 2 p.m. as the Beaverton City Library presents "Priced Out: 15 Years of Gentrification in Portland, Oregon."