



SALEM PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD ACTION SHEET

June 13, 2024

BOARD MEMBER ATTENDEES

Present: Keith Norris, Chair; Dylan McDowell, Vice-Chair; Alan Alexander; Mauricio Flores, Zachery Hammerle; Alan Holland; Joan Lloyd; Debbie Miller

Absent: None

ISSUE

Shall the Salem Parks and Recreation Advisory Board endorse and forward the proposed amendment and restatement of an agreement for use of John Lewis Field, McCulloch Stadium, and Bush's Pasture Park to the Salem City Council.

DATE OF DECISION

June 13, 2024

ACTION TAKEN

Motion: Vice-Chair McDowell moved, and Member Lloyd seconded, that the Salem Parks and Recreation Advisory Board recommend to City Council that they accept the proposed amendment and restatement of the agreement between the City and Willamette University, with the following modifications:

- Remove the eighth whereas statement, as it involves third parties that are not signatories on this agreement and is not needed to support the resolution findings.
- Include a commitment to use Willamette University parking areas for all large events and athletic activities, including shuttle service to the stadium.
- Willamette University to provide staffing/parking attendants at the Mission Street park parking lot on event days to mitigate any issues.
- Include a commitment by Willamette University to explore partnerships with Cherriots and look for covered bike parking and other opportunities to encourage alternative transportation modes (alternatives to personal vehicle use).
- Include an annual review of impacts on the City park property and facilities and surrounding community, such as parking, noise, and light. Unintended impacts shall be addressed to continue the agreement. Unintended impacts may be

addressed through amendment(s) to the agreement or through development of operational protocols or procedures.

- Encourage use of best management practices and technologies in the proposed improvements, such as the use of organic turf fill material and post-consumer waste as well as a partnership between the City and Willamette University to test and monitor for micro-plastics and related pollutants and remedy pollutants found to be at high levels.

Vote:

Aye: 7 Norris, McDowell, Alexander, Flores, Hammerle, Lloyd, and Miller.

Nay: 1 Holland