

# MEETING NOTICE & AGENDA TUALATIN PARK ADVISORY COMMITTEE June 20, 2023 - 6:00 pm

## **Virtual Meeting**

## **Options to Join**

Phone: +1 253 215 8782 US (Tacoma) Meeting ID: 821 5335 3350

Video: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82153353350

"We are a group of enthusiastic advocates for the Parks & Recreation system with a focus on the stewardship and enhancement of our community."

## A. Call to Order

1. Roll Call

## **B.** Approval of Minutes

1. May 9, 2023

## C. Communications & Comments

- 1. Chair
- 2. Staff
- 3. Public

## D. Old Business

- 1. Parks Bond Projects Update
- 2. Committee Goals Review

#### E. New Business

- 1. Outdoor Camping -Time, Place, Manner
- 2. Veterans Plaza Art Selection Update
- 3. Updates
  - a. Programs
  - b. Projects
  - c. Operations
  - d. Volunteers

## F. Upcoming Dates & Calendar Review

- 1. July Meeting
- 2. Basalt Creek Property

## **G.** Committee Member Communications

## H. Adjournment

# City of TUALATIN PARKS & RECREATION

#### **Minutes**

## T UALATIN PARK ADVISORY COMMITTEE May 9, 2023

## **Parks & Recreation Office**

8511 SW Tualatin Road Virtual Availability

Members Present: Beth Dittman, Emma Gray, John Makepeace, Carl Hosticka, Michael

Klein

Members Absent: Anthony Warren (excused), Ryan Wilson (excused)

**Staff Present:** Ross Hoover, Parks & Recreation Director

Rich Mueller, Parks Planning and Development Manager

Kyla Cesca, Office Coordinator

Public: None

#### A. Call to Order

Chair Emma Gray called the meeting to order at 6:03 pm. Roll Call was taken with five members present and two absent.

## **B.** Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the April 11, 2023 meeting were unanimously approved on a motion by Beth Dittman, and a second from John Makepeace.

#### C. Communications & Comments

1. Chair

None

2. Staff

Ross Hoover gave a status update on the City's budget.

3. Public

None

#### D. Old Business

1. Parks Bond Update

Ross Hoover reported on the results of the bond sales. The phase one sale was successful, selling out quickly and yielding more funds than anticipated.

Rich Mueller updated the committee on the status of each of the bond project areas. Rich presented an updated project sheet, indicating the version in the packet had a date error. Rich then gave a brief recap of each of the projects and the next steps.

Emma Gray inquired as to why Stoneridge Park was no longer listed within the bond projects and Ross provided a response that it will now be funded through the American Rescue Plan (ARPA).

#### 2. Committee Goals

Emma Gray reviewed the committee goals and made suggested changes to a few goals to align better with other citywide project timelines. These included connecting with other advisory committees and climate action plan sequence with tree ordinances. Committee members voted to unanimously approve these changes.

#### E. New Business

## 1. Parkland Acquisition & Development

The committee chose to hold off on this topic until interested parties were in attendance at the meeting.

#### 2. Pollinator Week

Kyla Cesca shared an updated version of the Pollinator Week presentation. The committee reviewed the presentation and made a few edits. Emma Gray asked members to consider volunteering to give the presentation at the June 12, 2023, City Council meeting.

### 3. Stoneridge Park Update

Rich Mueller gave the committee an overview of Stoneridge Park project, covering previous project phases and next steps. Rich reminded committee members of the goal to continue engage the neighborhood in the park redesign process. To help achieve this goal, staff is looking into a summer engagement process to rename the park. Ross Hoover explained the shift of the funding sources from Bond funds to American Rescue Plan Act funds.

#### 4. Updates

a. Programs

Ross Hoover and Kyla Cesca provided an update on programs.

b. Projects

Rich Mueller provided an update on Projects.

c. Operations

Ross Hoover provided an update on operations.

d. Volunteers

Emma Gray shared a volunteer update from the meeting packet.

## F. Upcoming Dates & Calendar Review

Emma Gray reviewed the calendars.

#### **G.** Committee Member Communications

Emma Gray shared the Tualatin Pride Stride an upcoming event with Committee members. Carl Hosticka mentioned an online registration issue that staff will follow up on.

## H. Adjournment

Chair Emma Gray adjourned the meeting at 7:08 pm.

## **Bond Projects** 6/6/2023

Project Location	Phase 1 2023-26	Phase 2 2026-29	<u>Status</u>
Trail Connections (Est. \$4.5 MM)  Nyberg Creek/Wetlands  Design  Construction			Design Proposals - 2024
New River Access (Est. 4 MM) Community Park Expansion Planning & Design Construction			Design Proposals - fall/winter 2023
Athletic Fields (Est. 7 MM) Parks TCP field lights (replacement LED) Backstops & fencing Neighborhood park fields School shared use partnership Planning/Design Construction			Consider Approval 6/26/23 Planning Stage Planning with School District
Upgrades (Est. 5 MM) Veterans Plaza Other			In Construction Design
Natural Areas (3.5 MM) Property acquisition Natural parkland WA County Community Park Expansion			Property Closed May 2023 In Process Property Closed May 2023
Play & Park Equipment (1 MM) Atfalati Ibach Jurgens			Equipment Ordered/install fall Equipment Ordered/install fall Equipment Ordered/install winter
Project Manager			Budget process



## CITY OF TUALATIN Staff Report

**TO:** Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

THROUGH: Sherilyn Lombos, City Manager

**FROM:** Megan George, Deputy City Manager

**DATE:** June 12, 2023

## SUBJECT:

Review Draft Ordinance for the Prohibition and Regulation of Camping on Public Property

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

Staff is asking for policy direction on how Tualatin should address when, where, and how people experiencing homelessness can camp in Tualatin.

Two recent decisions out of the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals (*Martin v. Boise* and *Johnson v. City of Grants Pass*) held that a governmental entity cannot "criminalize conduct that is an unavoidable consequence of being homeless – namely sitting, lying, or sleeping" under the Eighth Amendment to the Constitution. In addition, individuals similarly must be permitted to take minimal measures to keep warm and dry while sleeping.

In 2021, the Oregon Legislature passed HB 3115 (codified as ORS 195.530), which requires any regulation of sitting, lying, sleeping, or keeping warm and dry outdoors on public property that is open to the public to be objectively reasonable as to time, place, and manner prior to July 1, 2023.

Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-12-030 states "No person shall camp in or upon any sidewalk, street, alley, lane, or public right-of-way, park or any other publicly owned property or under any bridge or viaduct, unless otherwise specifically authorized by this code or by declaration of the Mayor in emergency circumstances or authorized by a City permit for a special event." Tualatin's ordinance does not comply with HB 3115.

Homelessness is a significant issue affecting many communities in Oregon, including Tualatin. This update to Tualatin's camping ordinance is narrow and does not address many related issues. Staff will continue to coordinate with regional partners and service providers on issues related to provision of services, shelter, and long-term housing opportunities, as the ultimate goal is to transition people into stable housing.

In drafting the attached ordinance, staff prioritized:

- Compliance with HB 3115;
- Providing clarity to City staff implementing and enforcing the time, place, and manner regulations;
- Consistency, where possible, with nearby jurisdictions; and
- Balancing the intended use of properties with compassion for people experiencing homelessness.

Staff have prepared the following time, place, and manner regulations for the City Council to consider.

## <u>Time</u>

Camping prohibited between 7am and 7pm.

## **Place**

## Camping prohibited in:

- City-owned or maintained parking lots.
- Within 500 feet of schools, freeway entrances/exits.
- Within 20 feet of a building.
- Natural Resource Protection Overlay, Natural Areas, greenways, and landscaped areas.
- Public right-of-way and railroad right-of-way
- Municipal grounds and the Library Plaza.
- City Parks.

## Manner

- May not accumulate, discard, or leave behind trash, etc.
- May not dig, excavate, erect/install fixtures, harm vegetation.
- May not obstruct or attach camp materials to public infrastructure or private property structures.
- Campsite is limited to 12x12 feet.
- No unauthorized connections to electrical outlets or other utilities.
- May not start or maintain a fire.
- May not create a physical impairment to emergency ingress or egress.

## **OUTCOMES OF DECISION:**

Following the City Council's discussion on June 12, 2023, staff will update the draft ordinance and bring it back for adoption by the City Council on June 26, 2023 in order to comply with HB 3115 by July 1, 2023.

## FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

City staff, particularly in the Police Department and Parks Maintenance Division, currently engage with people camping on public property on a day-to-day basis. At this time, we do not expect a significant increase to workload related to enforcement of time, place, and manner restrictions.

Related to clean-up of established campsites, earlier this year, the City entered into an Intergovernmental Agreement with Metro for "Regional Illegal Dumping (RID) Patrol". Under this agreement, Metro is responsible for cleaning up established campsites and all costs incurred. In addition, the Police Department has already developed procedures to comply with HB 3124, passed by the Oregon Legislature in 2021. Under HB 3124, property removed from an established campsite must be managed in specific ways.

#### ATTACHMENTS:

- Staff ReportPresentation
- Ordinance Draft
- Exhibit A Draft Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-12-030
   Exhibit B Draft Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-12-010 Amendments

# Prohibition and Regulation of Camping on Public Property

City Council Work Session | June 12, 2023



# **Outline**

- ▲ Background
- Neighboring Jurisdictions
- ▲ Draft Ordinance
- Next Steps
- Questions and Discussion

# Background

# **Case Law**

## Martin v. Boise

- Cities cannot punish a person who is experiencing homelessness for sitting, sleeping, or lying on public property when that person has no place else to go;
- Cities are not required to build or provide shelters for persons experiencing homelessness;
- Cities can continue to impose traditional sit, sleep, and lie prohibitions and regulations on persons who do have access to shelter; and
- Cities are allowed to build or provide shelters for persons experiencing homelessness.

## • Johnson v. City of Grants Pass

- Whether a city's prohibition is a civil or criminal violation is irrelevant. If the prohibition punishes an unavoidable consequence of one's status as a person experiencing homelessness, then the prohibition, regardless of its form, is unconstitutional;
- Persons experiencing homelessness who must sleep outside are entitled to take necessary minimal measures to keep themselves warm and dry while they are sleeping; and
- The case defined when someone does not have access to shelter.

# Oregon Law: HB 3115

- Any city or county law regulating the acts of sitting, lying, sleeping or keeping warm and dry outside on public property must be "objectively reasonable" based on the totality of the circumstances as applied to all stakeholders, including persons experiencing homelessness.
- Deadline of July 1, 2023.

# **Tualatin's Current Ordinance**

## **Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-12-030**

No person shall camp in our upon any sidewalk, street, alley, lane, or public right-of-way, park or any other publicly owned property or under any bridge or viaduct, unless otherwise specifically authorized by this code or by declaration of the Mayor in emergency circumstances or authorized by a City permit for a special event.

Tualatin's ordinance is not in compliance with HB 3115 and must be repealed or modified.

# **Neighboring Jurisdictions**

	Tigard	Sherwood	Washington County	Wilsonville
Time	• 9am – 7pm	• 7am – 9pm	<ul> <li>Limited to 5 calendar days</li> </ul>	• 7am – 9pm
Place	<ul> <li>Sensitive lands</li> <li>City parks</li> <li>City parking lots</li> <li>500 ft buffer from schools, freeway entrances/exits</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sensitive areas</li> <li>Residential zones and structures</li> <li>1000 ft buffer from schools</li> <li>Reduces sidewalk width below 4 ft</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Riparian corridor, etc.</li> <li>500 ft buffer from schools, day care facilities</li> </ul>	Only on specific property designated for camping in the Administrative Rules
Manner	<ul> <li>No fires</li> <li>Campsite limited to 12 x 12 ft</li> <li>20 ft buffer between campsites</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>No fires</li> <li>No structures</li> <li>No digging, removing vegetation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>No accumulation of waste</li> <li>Campsite limited to 12 x 12 ft</li> <li>Roadway/sidewalk clearance</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>No fires</li> <li>Campsite limited to 10 x 10 ft</li> <li>100 ft buffer between campsites</li> <li>No digging</li> </ul>
Source	Tigard Business Meeting Agenda May 23, 2023	City of Sherwood Website	Washington County Website	Wilsonville City Council Agenda May 15, 2023

# **Draft Ordinance**

# Ordinance Goals

- Compliance with HB 3115;
- Clarity for City staff implementing and enforcing the time, place, and manner regulations;
- Consistency, where possible, with nearby jurisdictions; and
- Balance between the intended use of properties and compassion for people experiencing homelessness.

# Time

## **Considerations**

- When services are available for people experiencing homelessness
- Staff's ability to enforce time regulations
- When properties are in use
- Consistency with neighboring jurisdictions

## **Recommendation**

 Camping prohibited between 7am and 7pm

# Manner

## **Considerations**

- Neighboring jurisdictions are largely consistent with manner regulations
- Discouraging large encampments
- Integrity and access to public infrastructure
- Environmental concerns

## Recommendation

- May not accumulate, discard, or leave behind trash, etc.
- May not dig, excavate, erect/install fixtures, harm vegetation
- May not obstruct or attach camp materials to public infrastructure or private property structures
- Campsite is limited to 12x12 ft
- No unauthorized connections to electrical outlets or other utilities
- May not start or maintain a fire
- May not create a physical impairment to emergency ingress or egress

# **Place**

## **Considerations**

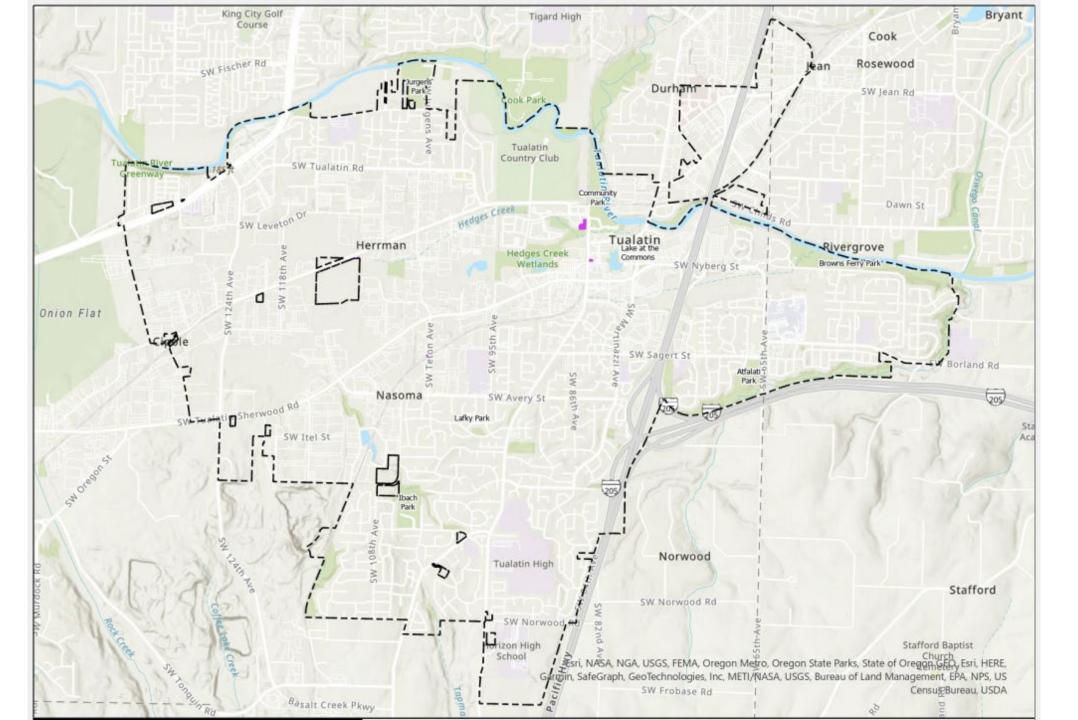
- Must have areas where camping is not prohibited
- Number of people estimated to be camping outdoors within City limits currently
- Neighboring jurisdictions have prohibited camping on sensitive lands, City/County property, parks, public right-of-way, and created buffers around services for people experiencing homelessness, schools, residential properties and zones, and freeway entrances/exits
- Protection of environment, City infrastructure, and intended use of the property

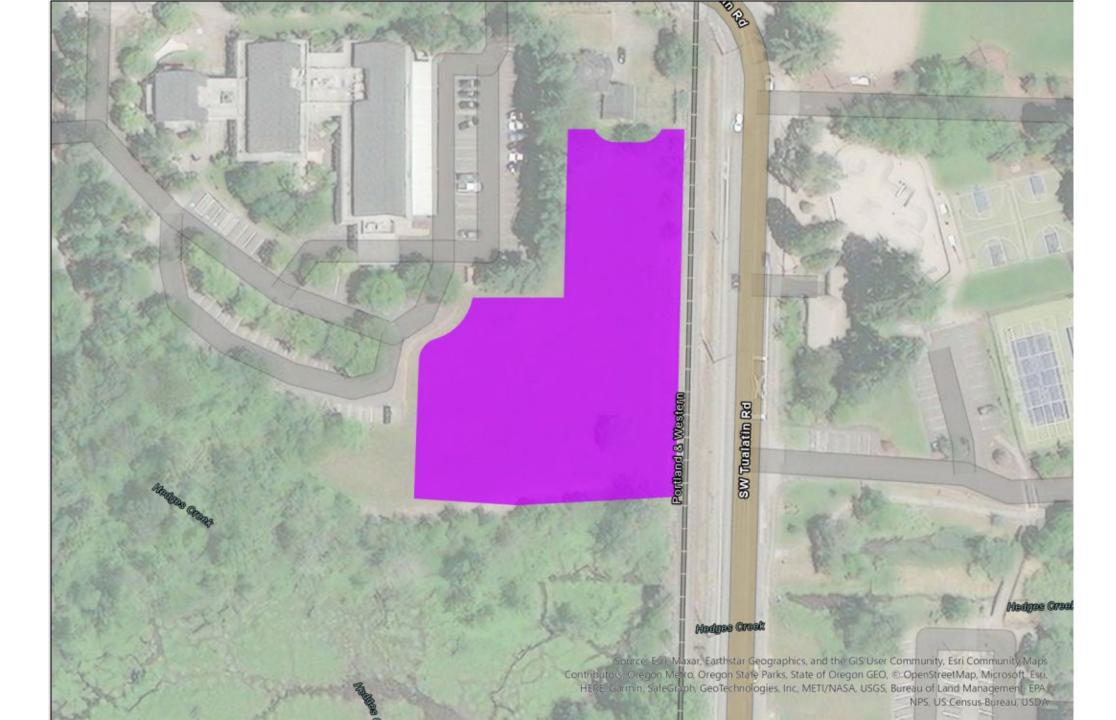
# **Place**

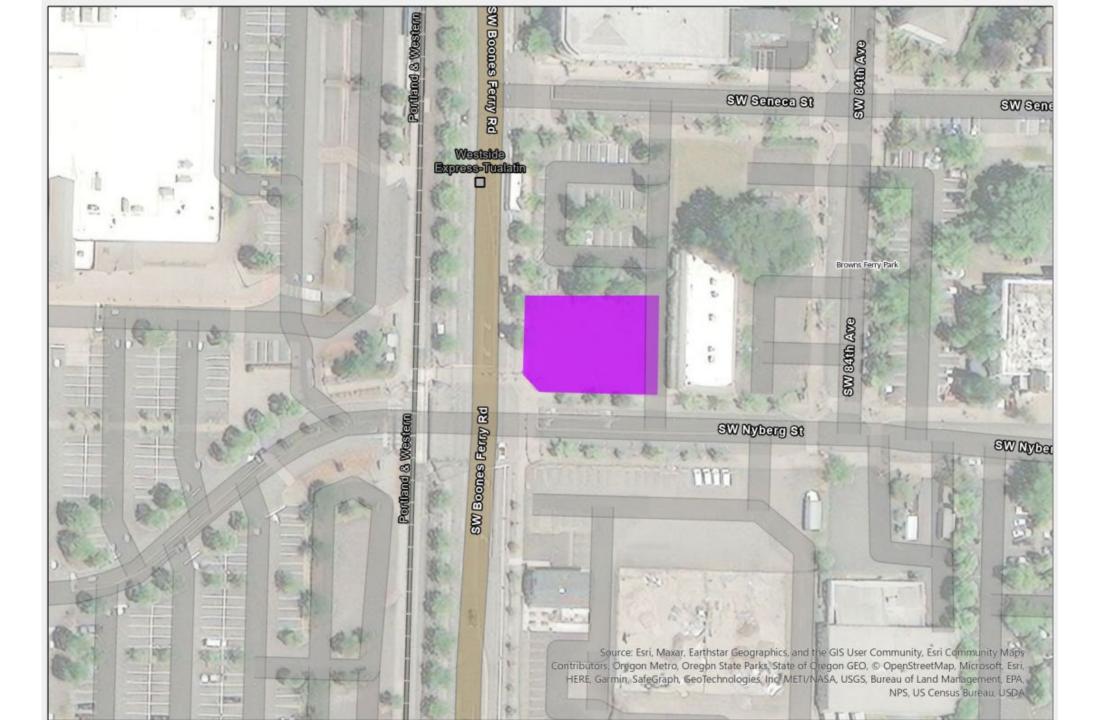
## Recommendation

## Camping Prohibited in:

- City-owned or maintained parking lots
- Within 500 feet of schools, freeway entrances/exits
- Within 20 feet of a building
- Natural Resource Protection Overlay, Natural Areas, greenways, and landscaped areas
- Public rights-of-way and railroad right-of-way
- Municipal grounds and Library plaza
- City Parks







# **Next Steps**

- Adoption on June 26, 2023
- Ordinance Effective Date of July 1, 2023
- Check-In with City Council on Implementation in January 2024 (or before)

# **Questions and Discussion**

## CITY OF TUALATIN ORDINANCE NO. XXXX-23

## AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING AND REGULATING CAMPING IN THE CITY OF TUALATIN

WHEREAS, the court decisions *Martin v Boise* and *Johnson v Grants Pass* held that prohibiting camping in the absence of available shelter violates a person's Eighth Amendment rights against cruel and unusual punishment, but that a municipality may adopt reasonable time, place, and manner regulations; and

WHEREAS, Oregon House Bill 3115 (2021) codified the *Martin v Boise* decision and required all local government regulation of sitting, lying, sleeping, or keeping warm and dry outdoors on public property that is open to the public must be objectively reasonable as to time, place, and manner prior to July 1, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the intent of this ordinance is to enhance the livability, including health and safety, for all community members as well as to protect the environment, community assets, and infrastructure of Tualatin; and

WHEREAS, camping in certain sensitive or high-risk areas creates a danger to the environment, the public, and the persons experiencing homelessness; and

WHEREAS, camping in certain locations or infrastructure prevents the public's ability to use those locations for their intended purpose and may result in imminent threats to life safety; and

WHEREAS, when shelter is not available, this ordinance allows a person to sleep protected from the elements and maintain the essentials for living, while still allowing others to use public spaces in a safe way, as designed and intended.

## NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY OF TUALATIN ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

- SECTION 1: Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-12-030, Camping Prohibited on Public Property, is hereby repealed in its entirety and replaced with the attached Exhibit A.
- SECTION 2: Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-12-010, Definitions, is hereby amended as provided in Exhibit B.
- SECTION 3: If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity does not affect the other provisions or applications of the ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are severable. This City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this ordinance irrespective of the invalidity of any particular portion therefore and intends that the invalid portions should be severed and the balance of the ordinance be enforced.

SECTION 4: This ordinance being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this ordinance takes effect immediately on its passage.

ADOPTED by the City Council this	_ day of June, 2023.	
	CITY OF TUALATIN, O	REGON
	Ву	
		Mayor
	ATTEST:	
	Ву	
		City Recorder

#### Exhibit A

## Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-12-030

## Camping Prohibited on Public Property

(1) Camping Prohibited.

It is unlawful for any person to camp in or upon any public right-of-way or City property, unless specifically authorized.

- (a) By City Code.
- (b) In a declaration of a local emergency or disaster.
- (c) By the City Manager or designee when deemed necessary to serve the public interest.
- (2) Time, Place, and Manner Regulations.
  - (a) A person without available shelter may camp on outdoor City property that is open to the public if all of the following time, place, and manner regulations are followed.
  - (b) Time Regulations. A person without available shelter may camp on City property as permitted by subsection (2)(a) only if the person complies with all of the following time restrictions.
    - (i) A person may only camp between the hours of 7pm and 7am. After 7am, a person without available shelter must dismantle the campsite and remove all personal property and camp materials from the campsite.
  - (c) Place Regulations. A person without available shelter may not camp in the following places at any time.
    - (i) Within any City-owned or maintained parking lot.
    - (ii) Within 500 feet from a public or private elementary school, secondary school, or career school attended primarily by minors.
    - (iii) Within 500 feet from an egress or ingress to a freeway.
    - (iv) Within 20 feet of a building, including but not limited to, residences, commercial buildings and City buildings.
    - (v) Within the Natural Resource Protection Overlay, Natural Areas identified in the Parks and Recreation Master Plan, greenways, and landscaped areas on publicly owned land.
    - (vi) In areas underneath roadways or bridges and publicly owned property that is not open to the public.
    - (vii) In the public right-of-way and railroad right-of-way.
    - (viii) Within City Parks.
    - (ix) Within municipal grounds and the Library Plaza.

- (d) Manner Regulations. A person without available shelter may camp on City property as permitted by subsection (2)(a) if the person complies with all of the following manner regulations.
  - (i) A person may not accumulate, discard, or leave behind in or around a campsite any rubbish, trash, garbage, debris, or other refuse, unsanitary or hazardous materials, or any animal or human urine and feces.
  - (ii) Digging, excavating, terracing of soil or other alteration of City property, or causing environmental damage or damage to vegetation or trees is prohibited.
  - (iii) Obstruction or attachment of camp materials to public infrastructure or private property structures, including bridges or bridge infrastructure, fire hydrants, utility poles, streetlights, traffic signals, signs, fences, trees, vegetation, vehicles, or buildings is prohibited.
  - (iv) Erecting, installing, placing, leaving, or setting up any type of permanent or temporary fixture or structure of any material or materials in or around a campsite is prohibited. For purposes of this section, a "permanent or temporary fixture or structure" does not include a tent, tarpaulin, or other similar item used for shelter that is readily portable.
  - (v) A campsite must be limited within a spatial footprint of 12 feet by 12 feet, or 144 square feet. Multiple persons may camp together in a single campsite, subject to the limitations of this subsection.
  - (vi) Unauthorized connections or taps to electrical or other utilities, or violations of building, fire, or other relevant codes or standards are prohibited.
  - (vii) Dumping of gray water (i.e. wastewater from bathwater, sinks and cooking) or black water (sewage) on City property is prohibited.
  - (viii) Open flames, recreational fires, burning of garbage, and bonfires are prohibited except as specified in Chapter 5-2-040.
  - (ix) Camping materials may not create a physical impairment to emergency ingress or egress or emergency response including within 10 feet of any fire hydrant, utility pole, or other utility, fire gate/bollards, or public infrastructure used for emergency response.

#### (3) Violation.

- (a) A violation of this Chapter is punishable as follows:
  - (i) Civil Infraction, punishable by a fee of \$35;
  - (ii) Citation in lieu of arrest for criminal trespass in the second degree; or
  - (iii) Arrest for criminal trespass in the second degree.
- (b) A civil infraction or citation in lieu of arrest issued pursuant to section (3)(a)(i-ii) (above) may be accompanied by an order of exclusion for up to 60 days.
- (c) An arrest for criminal trespass pursuant to section (3)(a)(iii) (above) may be accompanied by an order of exclusion for not more than 180 days.

(d) Nothing in this Section is intended to prescribe any particular order of violation or penalty. A police officer has discretion to impose a violation tailored to the circumstances and necessary to maintain the health and safety of persons experiencing homelessness and the community.



#### Exhibit B

## Tualatin Municipal Code Chapter 6-12

#### PROHIBITED PUBLIC BEHAVIORS

6-12-010 Definitions.

Alcoholic Beverage includes beer, wine, ales, alcoholic liquors and all beverages containing alcohol.

Available shelter is a shelter that is able to be used or at a person's disposal based on the individual facts and circumstances of that particular person. A shelter is considered not available to a person if, based on the individual facts and circumstances of that particular person, the shelter cannot be accessed or utilized for sitting, sleeping, and keeping warm and dry. Such situations include, but are not limited, to a shelter that:

- 1. Requires payment and the individual does not have money to pay for the shelter;
- 2. Has a maximum stay rule or temporal requirement or deadline the person has exceeded or not met;
- 3. Has excluded the person from the shelter for any lawful reason;
- 4. Cannot reasonably accommodate the person's mental health or physical needs;
- 5. Is unavailable due to the person's family status, age, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, or other status;
- 6. Has excluding general rules that prohibit alcohol or drug use in the shelter or on shelter grounds or is unavailable to the person because the shelter has rules about alcohol or drug use that the person does not meet;
- 7. May prohibit a minor child to be housed in the same facility with at least one parent or legal guardian:
- 8. Requires participation in religious activity or receipt of religious information or religious teaching the person does not wish to participate in or receive; or
- 9. Requires a person to leave their pet(s) unattended in order to stay at the shelter. This section does not apply to service animals under the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Camp or Camping means to pitch, erect, create, use or occupy camp materials for the purpose of establishing or maintaining a permanent or temporary place to live.

Camp materials include, but are not limited to, tents, huts, awnings, lean-tos, chairs, tarps or tarpaulins, cots, beds, sleeping bags, blankets, mattresses, sleeping or bedding materials, food or food storage items, or similar items that are or appear to be used as living or sleeping accommodations, or to assist with living or sleeping activities. Campsite means any place established or maintained for the purpose of camping.

City property means any real property or structures owned, leased, or managed by the City.

Downtown Area means the area bounded on the north beginning at 90th and Tualatin Road along the north right-of-way to the access road by the Tualatin Country Club back to the Tualatin River then extending to include the incorporated portion of the City of Tualatin that lies north of the Tualatin River

down to the intersection of the railroad tracks with the Interstate Highway 5 right-of-way; on the East by the east side of the Interstate Highway 5 right-of-way; on the South by the south side of the right-of-way of Nyberg Street through its connection with and along Tualatin-Sherwood Road to 90th; and on the West by the west side of the right-of-way of 90th Street up to its intersection with Tualatin Road. (See Map.)

*Freeway* means a highway for through traffic where access to the highway is fully controlled except as may be allowed at designated interchanges and includes Interstate 5, Interstate 205, and Highway 99W.

Open to the public shall mean City properties where members of the public are not prohibited from being by law, rule, regulation, or custom including, but not limited to the properties being closed due to hour restrictions, physical barriers, or because they are temporarily being used for another purpose. Examples of properties that are not open to the public include properties being used for City water facilities such as reservoirs, parks that are closed overnight, properties that are under repair, or properties for which a permit has been issued for an event.

Parking lot means all developed or undeveloped areas or facilities owned, maintained, and/or leased by the City and are designated for the parking of vehicles.

Right-of-way means an area that allows for the passage of people, goods, or utilities. Right-of-way may include freeways, pedestrian connections, and streets. A right-of-way may be dedicated or deeded to the public for the public use or owned by the City or other public body.

Shelter means a place an individual may access for the purposes of sitting, sleeping, and keeping warm and dry, which may include but is not limited to a residence, hotel, motel, or a public or private facility developed or legally established for people experiencing homelessness that does not charge for services.



## Hug A Wetland Hedges Creek Wetlands May 6, 2023



## Volunteers giving nature's water filter some TLC!

- Thank you to the 10 enthus iastic volunteers who came out to celebrate National Wetlands Month.
- Our community partner The Wetlands Conservancy has been traveling to wetlands throughout the metro area, bringing education, games and activities to the community.
- 50 pounds of trash was collected by volunteers who explored the ponds and streets bordering the Hedges Creek Wetland.





## Put Down Roots in Tualatin Hug A Park / Jurgens Park May 19, 2023



## Thank You Volunteers for your enthusiasm and muscles!

- 60 enthusiastic 7th and 8th grade students from the Hazelbrook Middle School AVID program gave Jurgens Park a big hug.
- Students amended soil and planted the community garden.
- Students cleaned the sand play area and the main picnic shelter.
- Students watered the pollinator garden in the back of the park and removed invasive blackberry from the restoration site along the Tualatin River.
- Thank you to City Staff: Shelly, Joel, Tom and Margaret for engaging volunteers.











## Put Down Roots in Tualatin Hug A Park / Ibach Park June 14, 2023



## Thank You Volunteers for your enthusiasm and muscles!

- 5 enthusiastic volunteers from the City of Tualatin Planning Department joined the Parks Maintenance team and Volunteer Services to make a difference in stream health and forest diversity at Ibach Park.
- 410 pounds of rock was installed to slow storm water.
- 5 Douglas fir trees were planted along Hedges Creek.
- 5 yards of mulch was installed in planting beds.
- Thank you to Parks staff: Will, Hannah, Tom, Joel, Shelly and Parker.









## **JUNE 2023**



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
Ч	5	6	7	8	9	Blender Dash
11	City Council Meeting	13 TPARK Meeting	14	15	16	17
18	City Closed: Juneteenth  Pollinator Week	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 City Council Meeting	27	28	29	30	

## **JULY 2023**



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2	3	⊢ City Closed 4th of July	5	6	7 Concert	8
9	City Council Meeting	Park Tour TPARK Meeting	12 Lunchtime Concert	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21 Concert	22 Viva Tualatin
23	2닉 City Council Meeting	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					