

RESOLUTION NO. 5412

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION TO THE OREGON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT FOR FUNDING FROM THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT GRANT PROGRAM TO DEVELOP A NEW NEIGHBORHOOD PARK ON OAK STREET AND AUTHORIZING THE PARKS AND RECREATION DIRECTOR TO SIGN THE APPLICATION.

WHEREAS, the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department is accepting applications for the Local Government Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albany desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of providing needed park and recreation acquisitions, improvements and enhancements; and

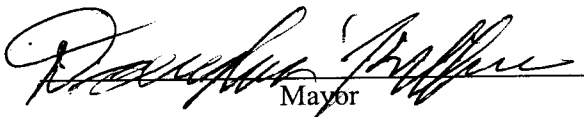
WHEREAS, the City of Albany's 2006-2010 Parks & Recreation Master Plan has cited a high-priority need for a new neighborhood park on Oak Street and expressed the City's intent to collaborate with the Boys and Girls Club of Albany to bring this park to fruition; and

WHEREAS, proposed project calls for the development of a playground, picnic facilities, sports fields, parking and other amenities on an approximate 12-acre site, which is presently owned by the Club; and

WHEREAS, the applicant hereby certifies that the matching share for this application is readily available at this time;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the City of Albany Parks and Recreation Director is authorized to apply for a Local Government Grant from the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department for the Oak Street Neighborhood Park project as specified above.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 11th DAY OF APRIL 2007.


Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk