

RESOLUTION 1855

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING ADOPTION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE PARKS ELEMENT OF THE NORTH BEND COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR THE 2018 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE

WHEREAS, the City of North Bend (“City”) is required to prepare a Comprehensive Plan (“Plan”) under the Growth Management Act (“GMA”) and is required by RCW 36.70A.040 to implement the Plan with development regulations that are consistent with the Plan; and

WHEREAS, RCW 36.70A.130 requires the City to review and, if needed, revise the Comprehensive Plan and development regulations on a periodic basis to ensure the Plan and regulations comply with the GMA and remain up-to-date; and

WHEREAS, amendments have been proposed to the Parks and Open Space Element of the Comprehensive Plan (“Parks Element Amendments”), consisting of amendments to the 20-Year Parks Capital Facilities Program and 6-year Parks Capital Facilities Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Parks Commission reviewed the Parks Element Amendments at its May 23, June 27, August 22, and September 27, 2018, meetings; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission reviewed the Parks Element Amendments at its September 13 and September 27, 2018, meetings; and

WHEREAS, following a public hearing held jointly before the Parks Commission and Planning Commission on September 27, 2018, the Parks Commission and Planning Commission each provided a recommendation of approval of the Parks Element Amendments, as provided in the Planning Commission and Parks Commission Findings, Conclusion, and Recommendation report signed on September 27, 2018; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with WAC 365-196-630, a *Notification of Intention to Adopt Comprehensive Plan Amendments* was sent to the State of Washington Department of Commerce and to other State agencies on August 28, 2018, for a required 60-day review period; and

WHEREAS, an environmental review of the Parks Element Amendments was conducted in accordance with the requirement of the State Environmental Policy Act (“SEPA”), and a non-project SEPA Determination of Non-significance was issued for the Parks Element Amendments on September 7, 2018, which was transmitted to relevant State and local agencies, published in the Snoqualmie Valley Record, and posted in public places; and

WHEREAS, the public process for the proposed Parks Element Amendments provided for early and continuous public participation opportunities, including posting the draft amendments on the City’s website for public review and holding a public hearing before the Parks Commission and Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Parks Element Amendments have been prepared in compliance with applicable City policy and State laws;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Council supports the proposed Parks Element Amendments, attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Section 2. The City Council hereby directs that the Parks Element Amendments described in Section 1 of this Resolution be included as part of a future ordinance in which all of the 2018 Comprehensive Plan amendments will be adopted collectively.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF, THIS 6TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2018.

CITY OF NORTH BEND:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Kenneth G. Hearing, Mayor

Michael R. Kenyon, City Attorney

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Effective: November 6, 2018
Posted: November 7, 2018

Susie Oppedal, City Clerk