

COUNCIL WORK SESSION

MINUTES

City Hall Council Chambers, 10501 SE Main Street & Zoom Video Conference (www.milwaukieoregon.gov)

JANUARY 2, 2024

Council Present: Councilors Adam Khosroabadi, Robert Massey, Rebecca Stavenjord, and

Council President Desi Nicodemus, and Mayor Lisa Batey

Staff Present: Joseph Briglio, Community Development Director

> Justin Gericke, City Attorney Ann Ober, City Manager

Scott Stauffer, City Recorder

Emma Sagor, Assistant City Manager

Mayor Batey called the meeting to order at 4:04 p.m. and thanked the Arts Committee and chair for the Bing in the New Year event.

1. Milwaukie Bay Park Parking - Discussion

Briglio acknowledged ongoing frustrations regarding the parking at Milwaukie Bay Park. It was noted that Councilor Khosroabadi arrived at 4:07 p.m.

Briglio and Ober provided background from 2013 to current on how the parking at the Milwaukie Bay Park came to be and highlighted the constraints the city faced before changes could be made due to an agreement with the Oregon State Marine Board. The group discussed installation of paid parking and how the current agreement with the Marine Board supports providing parking for primarily those with motorized boats.

Ober noted that North Clackamas Parks and Recreation District (NCPRD) managed all aspects of Milwaukie Bay Park and that the city had not initiated a conversation with NCPRD regarding any potential changes to the parking. Ober reminded the group that when considering changes to keep in mind the park is a regional amenity. Briglio, Mayor Batey, and Ober commented on an idea presented via an email correspondence on enacting a seasonal shared use approach for a portion of the boat trailer spots.

Mayor Batey recounted how the park area had been set up prior to 2013 and how the changes to the park came about.

Ober reviewed the changes that Council could consider adopting. The group discussed enforcement of the parking rules at Milwaukie Bay Park and how to resolve the burden on kayakers who utilize the bay.

Ober summarized how staff would follow up.

Mayor Batey posed a question about disabled public parking in front of city hall. Ober and Briglio noted changes that were coming including the removal of spaces for the addition of a crosswalk and updated parking signage around a few city parking lots.

2. Council Committee Assignments 2024 – Discussion

The group reviewed the current Council committee assignments and discussed appointments for 2024.

3. Clackamas Cities Association (CCA) Dinner 2024 - Discussion

Stauffer explained the premise of the CCA dinners and noted Milwaukie's history in hosting previous dinners. **Stauffer** explained that Milwaukie had been signed up to host in May of 2024, but due to extenuating circumstances, was considering moving it out to early June. **Stauffer** commented on the cost of hosting the dinner. Council consensus was to host the CCA on June 13. The group touched on ideas for topics.

1. Milwaukie Bay Park Parking - Discussion (continued)

Ober shared information regarding the extension of the Milwaukie Bay Park agreement with the OSMB in 2020 but noted that more information needed to be obtained.

4. Adjourn

Mayor Batey adjourned the meeting at 5:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Nicole Madigan, Deputy City Recorder