

## QUARTERLY REPORT TO CITY COUNCIL - Quarter 2, Fiscal Year 2022

Trail's End – Tree and bushes have been planted in groups along the path. Communicating with Public Works to protect Camas from being mowed.

Pavilion Park – Waiting to hear if grant proposal was accepted. Hopeful that if so, the funding may have increased. The bike hub has been completed and artwork has been added.

Johnny Diamond – Pop up children's tables were added at the play area. Plans are to do plug removal and add sand to aid drainage and improve the grass areas. The committee scheduled a work party in June for Johnny Diamond.

Jacob Spores – The planting area around the sign has been cleaned and new annuals will be planted to give color.

Norma Pheiffer – The 2 white firs were removed and 2 new maples which were donated in honor of Harold and Opal Robbins were added to the north end of the park. The area around the flagpole was weeded and bark added. The snowberry shrubs were trimmed and the area ready to have bark placed by the city.

A new children's pop up table was added to the play area.

Rough plans have been drawn for the Veteran's Memorial and are awaiting the city engineers' technical drawings. Once those are complete, the committee will seek funding.

Booth Kelly – Five new historical signs have been placed along the trail. The city recently removed downed trees along the path.

The committee will continue work parties and hopes to encourage other citizens to participate. Promotion will be done through the city Facebook page, the city newsletter, and word of mouth. The city has been asked to provide a board posted outside city hall with date, time, & location of the next work party.

Park reservations are up this year and we expect to see more park usage this summer. Plans are underway to make the basketball court adaptable for use as a pickleball court. Pickleball has become a very popular sport.

## PARK/TREE COMMITTEE WORKPLAN GOALS

### WORK PLAN GOALS – FISCAL YEAR 2023

#### Work Plan Projects – Current

- Trail's End – Plant tree groupings
- Pavilion – Paint lamp posts, Apply for Grant to fund Improvements
- Norma Pheiffer – Pop up children's table, Pickle ball court, Plant donated tree
- Johnny Diamond – Pop up children's table
- Jacob Spores/Bike Path #2 – Bench

#### Work Plan Projects – Future

- Trail's End – Funding for viewing platform, interpretive signs, Monarch butterfly habitat
- Johnny Diamond – Historical signage in shelter
- Booth Kelly – Replace Botanical Signage
- Jacob Spores – Informational signage about Muddy Creek
- Norma Pheiffer – Funding for Veteran's Memorial
- Pavilion – Handicap Parking, Bike Hub completion, Implement design plan if funding received
- Anticipate future park development – Coburg Creek
- Continue Work Parties for improvement of Parks and Open Spaces
- Promote city parks/open spaces & encourage contributions to their enjoyment, care, and improvement
- Advocate for a Volunteer Coordinator on city staff

#### Goals – Long Term

1. Research & development of a Park & Recreational District
2. Create process for future purchase, approval, and development of park land
3. Establish a Community Volunteer Base
4. Consider land for a South side park
5. Planning with Historical Committee for Julie Morneau Historical Park