

CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK CITY COUNCIL AGENDA COVER SHEET

Meeting Date November 9, 2023

Originating Department City Council

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Title Ordinance 23-1282/Creating Chapter 18.74 of the Lake Forest Park

Municipal Code - Sale, Disposition or Lease of Surplus Real Property for

Affordable Housing

Legislative History

First Presentation
 October 26, 2023 Committee of the Whole Meeting

Second Presentation
 November 9, 2023 Regular Meeting

Attachments:

1. Ordinance 23-1282/Creating Chapter 18.74 of the Lake Forest Park Municipal Code - Sale, Disposition or Lease of Surplus Real Property for Affordable Housing

Executive Summary

RCW 39.33.015 provides a means by which a city may surplus real property no longer required for the needs of the city and transfer, lease, or otherwise dispose of the property for the public benefit purpose of affordable housing. The proposed draft ordinance would create Chapter 18.74 in the Lake Forest Park Municipal Code ("LFPMC"), providing a process by which the City Council would adopt a resolution to surplus property, determine how it should be disposed of (deed, lease, other), and set terms of the transfer to ensure the affordable housing purpose is carried out.

Fiscal & Policy Implications

Each transaction under Chapter 18.74 LFPMC would be reviewed for fiscal impacts and those impacts would be brought to Council for consideration.

Alternatives

Options	Results
Adopt ordinance	Chapter 18.74 LFPMC would give the City the option of disposing of surplus property for affordable housing purposes.
No action	The draft ordinance may be amended to address guidance from the City Council and/or other means of encouraging affordable housing will be investigated.

Staff Recommendation

Review the draft ordinance and provide guidance.