

To: Stevenson City Council

Subject: Request for Regulation – Long-Term RV Parking on Public Streets

Dear Mayor and Members of the City Council,

I am writing as a concerned resident of Stevenson to formally submit a complaint and request urgent action regarding an RV that has been parked on SW Rock Creek Drive since January 2025 and has not moved in several months. It appears individuals may be living in the vehicle, and it is effectively being used as RV storage on a public street.

I have reported this issue to the local police department multiple times since January. However, I've been informed that, due to the lack of an applicable city ordinance, law enforcement is unable to take any enforcement action.

This ongoing situation raises significant concerns related to public safety, sanitation, neighborhood aesthetics, and the fair use of shared public spaces. It also sets a precedent for others to potentially use city streets for indefinite RV storage or habitation.

I respectfully request that the City Council consider enacting a municipal regulation prohibiting the long-term parking or storage of RVs on public streets. Our neighboring city of Washougal has already adopted such regulations, and I believe Stevenson residents deserve the same level of protection, clarity, and enforcement support.

I believe you will find that other residents share this concern, and I encourage the Council to take proactive steps in response.

Thank you for your time and for serving our community.

Respectfully,

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Resident of SW Rock Creek Dr