

CN Presentation - Slide Advancement

(Slide 1) I'd like to take a few minutes to celebrate a remarkable employee who has dedicated the past 30 years to improving the quality of life of this community on everything from parks design to neighborhood livability to economic development. (Slide 2) Chris began his career in Wilsonville in 1993 as an entry level planner. Nearly 30 years later, he is leaving the organization as the Community Development Department Director.

(Slide 3) Chris has played an integral role in every residential subdivision and planned unit development built over the past three decades. He played a major role in overseeing the implementation of the Villebois development that spanned nearly two decades, including providing input and oversight over the eight regional parks.

(Slide 4) His fingerprints can be found on every park, trail and open space the city has designed and constructed over the past 30 years, including Graham Oaks Natural Area, the Water Treatment Plant Park, Murase Plaza, Town Center Park, and the Ice Age Tonquin Trail.

(Slide 5) Under the umbrella of Natural Resources, Chris wrote the original application for the city's designation as a Tree City USA over 27 years ago. He played a part in the city's designation as a Bee City USA, Heritage Tree Program and the Coffee Creek Wetlands and Wildlife Passage under Boeckman Rd. (Slide 4)

(Slide 6) With regards to Facilities, Chris and his team ushered through a new city hall, new SMART/Fleet complex and a consolidated Public Works facility. Additionally, Chris has played a major role in overseeing the construction of several new primary and middle schools in Wilsonville. (Slide 5)

(Slide 7) Chris played a major role in setting the city up for success from a job growth and employment standpoint by helping shepherd innovative plans and policies like the industrial form based code, coffee creek industrial master plan, and the Wilsonville Investment Now program.

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(Slide 9) Chris' legacy for improving the quality of life for Wilsonville residents and businesses includes the great work he has done to increase mobility for all modes of transportation.

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(Slide 10) Chris, on behalf of the entire executive team, thank you for your teamwork, dedication and collaboration. You will be missed.

