RESOLUTION NO. 2611

AN RESOLUTION DESIGNATING ON-LEASH AND OFF-LEASH PARKS

THE TROUTDALE CITY COUNCIL FINDS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. Current Municipal Code Chapter 13.20 prohibits dogs and other domestic animals, on or off leash, from entering all Parks & Greenways in The City of Troutdale.
- 2. Respondents to a community survey conducted in 2023 in the drafting of the Parks Master Plan chose "parks that allow dogs" as the highest-ranking response to the question "what is missing or needed most" in Troutdale Parks.
- 3. Dogs and other domestic animals remain prohibited in City parks, generally.
- 4. Pursuant to the amendment to Municipal Code Chapter 13.20, effective on January 19th, 2024, it is under the purview of the City Council to select and designate certain City parks where dogs or other domestic animals are generally permitted on-leash by Resolution, and pet areas in parks where dogs are permitted on and/or off leash.
- 5. It is appropriate to name, at this time, parks or areas of parks, that will allow dogs on-leash and/or off-leash pursuant to the restrictions in the ordinance.
- 6. It is important that the Parks Advisory Committee suggest additional parks to allow leashed dogs for Council consideration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUTDALE

- Section 1. Sunrise Park and the Beaver Creek Canyon Greenway are designated as Onleash Parks pursuant to the ordinance rules for such parks.
- Section 2. The established fenced dog-park area of Columbia Park is designated as a pet area wherein dogs are permitted on and off-leash.
- Section 3. That portion of Columbia Park needed, and used, for direct ingress and egress to the Off Leash Dog Park is designated as a pet area that allows dogs on-leash pursuant to the ordinance rules for such parks.
- Section 2. This resolution designating parks shall take effect on January 20th, 2024.

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YEAS: 6 NAYS: 0 ABSTAINED: 0

Randy Lauer, Mayor

Date: December 13, 2023

Sarah Skroch, City Recorder Adopted: December 12, 2023

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