

# APRIL 2018 MONTHLY REPORT

### **Recreation Updates:**

### **Activity Guide Completed:**

The Summer Activity Guide was mailed out to Wilsonville Residents, and registration opened on April 16th. A wide variety of programs are being offered this summer, including new programs like Code to the Future's video game design, the YMCA's young chef and Star Wars camps, and a variety of DIY classes including a Make Your Own Wine Barrel Ring Sign.

### Movies in the Park Subaru Sponsorship Agreement:

The Parks and Recreation department received a sponsorship agreement with Wilsonville Subaru for \$1000 to be the title sponsor for Movies in the Park. This years movies will include; A Dog's Purpose, Coco, Early Man, & Beauty and the Beast.



A total of 80 responses were collected for the Wilsonville Memorial Park-Dog Park Survey, 82 percent of which were Wilsonville residents. Over 50 percent of our users at the dog park visit 6 or more times per month with 38 percent visiting more than 10 times per month—demonstrating that our dog parks users are quite dedicated. Several voiced that their favorite current aspects of the park included; size, separate areas for small and large dogs, and the gravel walking path. When asked what users would like to see improved, responses included; less mud, more shade, and adding a water feature. The responses from the survey were very insightful and helpful, and will be used during the design phases of the relocated dog park.

### **Community Garden Now Open:**

The Wilsonville Community Garden is now open! Garden registrations began on April 5th. A total of 134 garden plots were available and only 18 plots remain available (as of 5/1/). This year the garden will undergo some programming changes including additional programming such as youth and all abilities gardening classes, gatherings, and a community Facebook page to help spread news and reminders about the garden.

## **Board Updates:**

**WCSI:** Wilsonville Community Seniors Inc. did not have enough members present to hold an official meeting. Updates will be given during next months report.

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board: The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board met on Thursday 4/19 to award the 2018 Community Opportunity Grant. A total of \$12,645 was awarded; \$1,974.25 to Charbonneau Arts Association; \$2,224.25 to West Linn/Wilsonville Music and Arts Partners; \$3,724.25 to West Linn/Wilsonville School District- Inza Wood Middle School; \$2,498.00 Wilsonville Little League; and \$2,224.25 to World of Speed Motorsports Museum.



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# **Parks Maintenance Updates**



Continued Ivy Removal at Arrowhead Creek Park



Installed fresh Engineered Wood Fiber at Murase Plaza



Prepared Stein -Boozier Barn for rental season



Prepared Community Garden for the season



**Cleared Boeckman Creek Easement Trail** 

