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To: [Planning Commission](#)
Subject: Oak Street Vacation/ Commission Planning Meeting June 11 #9481
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Dear City Council,

I am writing this letter in support of the Oak Street Vacation and making it a permanent part of Portland Parks and Recreation. I have lived by and used Laurelhurst Park for over 30 years, and the temporary street vacation has had a very positive impact. The new recreational opportunities; pickleball, skateboarding and the bike track are well used and enjoyed by people from all over the city.

It provides multi-generational opportunities for outdoor enjoyment, and it has been so great to see the park used by so many.

Please vote **YES** to make the Oak Street vacation permanent. A **YES** vote will keep these outdoor recreational opportunities available for the people of Portland.

Thank You for your consideration.

Best regards,
Kayleen Kusterer