

RESOLUTION No.

35730

Moratorium on Placement of Memorials in Parks (Resolution)

WHEREAS from time to time, the City is approached with proposals from private parties who wish to place memorials in the City's parks, and

WHEREAS the Council, by Resolution No 34538, adopted on April 12, 1989, established a Policy on Placing Memorials in Public Parks, and

WHEREAS the City's experience with the application of the Policy on Placing Memorials in Public Parks has demonstrated that the processes outlined in the Policy need to be re-evaluated and refined, and

WHEREAS it is in the public interest for the City generally to defer consideration of any new proposals for memorials in City parks until after Portland Parks and Recreation can review the current status of the parks and determine which parks, if any, are appropriate location for the consideration of placement of any new memorials,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Portland directs Portland Parks and Recreation not to consider any new proposals from private donors for the placement of memorials in the City's parks for a period of two years from the date of this resolution, or until the Council reviews and either re-approves or modifies the Policy of the Placement of Memorials in Public Parks, whichever first occurs, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Portland Parks and Recreation shall, within 2 years, review the Policy on Placing Memorials in Public Parks and recommend revisions to simplify and clarify the processes, and shall review the current status of the parks and recommend to Council which parks, if any, are appropriate locations for the consideration of placement of any new memorials, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that nothing in this Resolution shall prohibit Portland Parks and Recreation from considering and approving the placement of simple plaques, adorned plaques or basic park accessories, as currently defined in the Policy on the Placement of Memorials in Public Parks, during the period of the moratorium

Adopted by the Council **SEP 24 1998**

Commissioner Francesconi
Prepared by H Auerbach
September 17, 1998

BARBARA CLARK
Auditor of the City of Portland
By *Britta Olson*
Deputy

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INTRODUCED BY	DATE FILED	SEP 18 1998
Commissioner Jim Francesconi	Barbara Clark Auditor of the City of Portland	
NOTED BY COMMISSIONER	By <u>Betta Olson</u> Deputy	
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BUREAU APPROVAL	ACTION TAKEN	
Bureau Parks & Recreation		
Prepared by _____ Date _____		
P Chapel <u>[Signature]</u> 09/17/98		
Budget Impact Review		
Completed _____ x Not Required		
Bureau Head Charles Jordan		

AGENDA		FOUR FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS		
				YEAS	NAYS
Consent	Regular <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Francesconi	Francesconi	✓	
NOTED BY		Hales	Hales	✓	
City Attorney		Kafoury	Kafoury	✓	
City Auditor		Sten	Sten	✓	
City Engineer		Katz	Katz	_____	