

From: [Pat Nelson](#)
To: [Kim Scheafer](#)
Subject: \$5.00 monthly park maintenance tax
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I would like to respectfully submit my feelings on this proposed tax. I think that the better way to react to parks maintenance is to find a way to free up the money that is being held to create new parks. Certainly that would be a better option since the money is already in the city coffers. Also, I wonder if using convicts to help out like the state already does on our highways could be an option. Starting a new tax on the general public is not the correct way to handle this need. We all enjoy the parks. Maybe asking the public to pitch in, like church groups, children's clubs, school children even the older generation could be rallied. Just my thoughts.

Pat Nelson
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Cc: [Brian Hodson](#); [Sarah Spoon](#); [Greg Parker](#); [Traci Hensley](#); [Tim Dale](#); [Tyler Smith](#); [Kim Scheafer](#)
Subject: please vote for more parks and a splash pad tonight!
Date: Wednesday, August 16, 2017 5:26:23 PM

Hello council members,

I am unable to make it to the meeting tonight, but would like to express my desire for more ways to enjoy nature in the Canby area, and especially for a splash park as a fun way to cool off in the summer and bring people together.

In particular, I very much enjoy Echo park (and the converted logging road), but would like to have more options to roam (if a forest park, then something much larger so it's worth the time to get there).

More parks mean a richer quality of life and helps keep business in Canby (because citizens don't have to drive to surrounding towns for a water park or up to Lake Oswego, for example, for a forest to hike in).

Please forward my support on to the council.

Thank you,

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