

Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council Item ID 53171 Agenda Number 65.

Meeting Date: 12/17/2015 Department: Parks and Recreation

Subject

Set a public hearing to consider the temporary use of a portion of dedicated parkland known as Shoal Creek Greenbelt, consisting of approximately 525 square feet of underground area, and related park improvements to rebuild the retaining wall on the Shoal Creek Greenbelt to benefit the parkland in accordance with Chapter 26 of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Code. (District 9) (Suggested date and time, January 28, 2016, 4:00 p.m. at Austin City Hall, 301 West Second Street, Austin, TX)

Amount and Source of Funding

Fiscal Note

There is no anticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
For More Information:	Brian Block 512-974-6777; Marty Stump 512-974-9460.
Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:	December 8, 2015 – To be considered by the Parks and Recreation Board.
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

The purpose of this RCA is to set a public hearing regarding the approval/disapproval of the temporary use of parkland at the Shoal Creek Greenbelt and related park improvements.

Consider the temporary underground use of a portion of dedicated parkland known as Shoal Creek Greenbelt, consisting of approximately 525 square feet for temporary underground installation of tie-backs 15-40 feet below ground to support the wall of the parking garage on the adjacent property for a period of 4 to 6 months; and related park improvements to rebuild a retaining wall on the Shoal Creek Greenbelt to benefit the parkland.

There is no feasible and prudent alternative to the use of the dedicated parkland which includes all reasonable planning to minimize harm to such lands. The dates of public notification in the *Austin American-Statesman* are January 3, 10 and 17, 2016.