

SALEM PARKS FOUNDATION



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Neighborhood Park Grant Program – 2025

The Salem Parks Foundation (SPF) offers an annual competitive grant program for Salem Parks. Grants will be awarded to Neighborhood Associations that demonstrate how they will enhance one of their parks.

Application: Use the 2025 Application Form and describe the park to be enhanced. Include information about the current use and users of the park, what specific improvement you are seeking, and how the neighborhood will be involved. A budget and time line must also be included.

Please have your grant proposal reviewed and approved by City of Salem Parks Operations staff prior to submission. Once the project has been signed by Parks Operations staff, have the proposal signed by both the Chair of your Neighborhood Association and the Chair of your Association's parks committee.

Some items that have been purchased in the past:

- Picnic table on concrete pad
- Mutt Mitt dispenser
- Repairs to basketball/multi-use court
- Bench
- Pollinator Garden
- Approved piece of playground equipment
- Information kiosk

Applications are due May 31, 2025. Notifications will be made in June.

Send your grant application to:

Salem Parks Foundation

P.O. Box 5764

Salem, OR 97304

Or email to info@salemparksfoundation.org.

For more information, please call Carol Snyder (503-364-8674).

Note: Funded project must be completed within two years of notification of grant.

Cost and project information: Call Salem Parks Operations at (503) 588-6336 for pricing and feasibility.

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Neighborhood Association: _____

Neighborhood Park to be enhanced: _____

NA Chair name & signature: _____

NA Parks Chair name & signature: _____

Please address all 5 topics in your application, and send it with this form signed by Parks Operations as an attachment by email to snyder2858@comcast.com, or mail to Salem Parks Foundation, P.O. Box 5764, Salem, OR 97304. Questions? Call Carol at 503-364-8674.

1. Park information. (Description, current use, users)

2. Proposal. (Explanation of the improvements desired – include the proposed location within the park)

3. Budget. (Provide cost figures for both materials and installation – available from Parks Operations)

4. Timeline. (Consider time needed for ordering and delivery of equipment, installation, and any additional fundraising)

5. Community support. (Show neighborhood involvement in this park project: survey of neighborhood, discussions at NA meeting, neighborhood events at the park, efforts at fundraising for the project, work parties at the park, etc.)

Attach pages necessary for full information. (May include photos, maps, etc.)

Parks Operations staff signature (required):

_____ Date _____

(Indicates agreement with project feasibility and the budget estimate provided)