

STATEMENT OF NEED AND FISCAL IMPACT

A Notice of Proposed Rulemaking Hearing or a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking accompanies this form.

Oregon Parks and Recreation Department

OAR 736-018-0045

Agency and Division

Administrative Rules Chapter Number

Amendment to OAR 736-018-0045 for Adoption of the Kam Wah Chung State Heritage Site Master Plan.

Rule Caption (Not more than 15 words that reasonably identifies the subject matter of the agency's intended action.)

In the Matter of:

Amendment to OAR 736-018-0045 for Adoption of the Kam Wah Chung State Heritage Site Master Plan.

Statutory Authority: ORS 390.180(1)

Other Authority:

Stats. Implemented: ORS 390.180(1)

Need for the Rule(s):

A master plan for Kam Wah Chung State Heritage Site is being adopted to provide guidance to the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department (OPRD) regarding the future management of the park resources and development of facilities for public access. The master plan responds to the most current information on the park resources and related recreation and historic interpretation opportunities. The purpose of amending OAR 736-018-0045 is to adopt the master plan through the administrative rule process.

Documents Relied Upon, and where they are available:

Kam Wah Chung State Heritage Site Draft Master Plan, September 2006. Available for review at the OPRD web site, http://egov.oregon.gov/OPRD/PLANS/planning_KWC.shtml. Hard copies are available upon request from OPRD in Salem.

Fiscal and Economic Impact:

The park master plan will provide guidance to OPRD on the management of the park resources and development of facilities for public access. Neither the master plan nor the rule amendment for adoption of the master plan will impose requirements on other public entities, businesses or individuals. Park master plans are sometimes used as a basis for seeking funding for planned projects, however, master plans provide no guarantees that planned projects will be funded or implemented. Neither the master plan nor the rule amendment for adoption of the master plan will provide the funding for the planned projects. As such, there will be no positive or negative fiscal or economic impacts as a result of the rulemaking action.

Statement of Cost of Compliance:

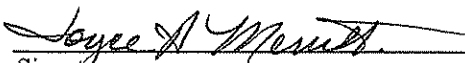
1. Impact on state agencies, units of local government and the public (ORS 183.335(2)(b)(E)): None. See statement above.
2. Cost of compliance effect on small business (ORS 183.336):
 - a. Estimate the number of small businesses and types of business and industries with small businesses subject to the rule: None. See statement above.
 - b. Projected reporting, recordkeeping and other administrative activities required for compliance, including costs of professional services: . None. See statement above.
 - c. Equipment, supplies, labor and increased administration required for compliance: None. See statement above.

How were small businesses involved in the development of this rule?

The master plan to be adopted through the rule amendment has no affect on small businesses. However, businesses have had the same opportunities to be involved, through public meetings and written comment opportunities, as other members of the public.

Administrative Rule Advisory Committee consulted? If not, why?:

An advisory committee has assisted OPRD in formulating the draft master plan. Committee members were chosen to represent a broad spectrum of interests related to the park resources and recreation and historic interpretation opportunities. The various interests represented include local public recreation interests, affected local governments, local tourism and economic interests, historic resource interests, and the park neighborhood.


Signature

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Date