

**RESOLUTION #16-06**  
**1001 Johnson Parkway\_ Parkland Diversion**

WHEREAS, the Saint Paul Parks and Recreation Commission (“Commission”) is an appointed body established to advise the Mayor and City Council on long-range and city-wide matters related to the Department of Parks and Recreation; and

WHEREAS, Section 13.01.1 of the City Charter requires that the Commission review any diversion or disposal of park property and present a recommendation to the Saint Paul City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City of Saint Paul (“City”), Department of Parks and Recreation owns city park land known as Johnson Parkway adjacent to the Hmong Village Shopping Center (“Hmong Village”) located at 1001 Johnson Parkway, as shown on Attachment A; and

WHEREAS, Hmong Village is requesting that the City dispose of a portion of the parkway for expansion of their parking lot, as shown in Attachment B; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation has determined that the Parkway may be disposed of for this purpose with a requirement that Hmong Village. LLC replace trees lost due to the expansion at a ratio of 1:1, recommends Commission support for the request;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Saint Paul Parks and Recreation Commission concurs with the request to dispose of the Parkway in a manner that meets all requirements of the Saint Paul City Charter relating to disposal or diversion of parkland to the Hmong Village, and in accordance with City Charter Section 13.01.1 recommends approval by the Saint Paul City Council.

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Adopted by the Saint Paul Parks and Recreation Commission on October 13, 2016:

Approved: Yeas \_\_\_\_\_ Resolution #16-06  
Nays \_\_\_\_\_  
Absent \_\_\_\_\_

Attested to by:

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Staff to the Parks and Recreation Commission

