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Water Quality Protection Surface Water Management Wastewater Collection & Treatment

August 5, 2021

Water Environment Services Board Board of County Commissioners Clackamas County

Members of the Board:

Approval of an Amendment to the Conservation Easement Granted to Water Environment Services by the Athey Creek Christian Fellowship for the Church's Accessible Parking Improvements Project.

Purpose/Outcomes	Approval of an amendment to a conservation easement granted to WES to allow for the Fellowship's proposed site improvement project to proceed, while also minimizing impacts to wetlands and water quality buffers on the site, and further enhancing water quality function through planting native vegetation.
Dollar Amount and	None
Fiscal Impact	
Funding Source	N/A
Duration	There is no termination date in the amended conservation easement granted
	to WES.
Previous Board	Issues discussion on July 27, 2021
Action/Review	
Counsel Review	The amended conservation easement was reviewed and approved by County
	Counsel on January 25, 2021
Strategic Plan	1) Streams within WES' jurisdiction meet or exceed water quality standards.
Alignment	2) Honor, Utilize, Promote and Invest in our Natural Resources.
Contact Person	Ron Wierenga, Environmental Services Manager, 503-742-4581
Contract No.	N/A

BACKGROUND:

The Athey Creek Christian Fellowship near West Linn is seeking approval to expand their parking area to provide better access for persons of limited mobility and families. The project will encroach into a conservation easement area previously granted to Water Environment Services for the wetlands and natural resource buffers on the property. The original easement was granted in 2007 as part of the development of the church property. The Fellowship is proposing to retain a portion of the wetlands in the conservation easement area, and to enhance wetlands and water quality function through planting the remaining easement and resource areas on the site. WES staff worked with Fellowship to limit the impacts to the existing easement area, and to propose actions to improve water quality function. In addition, the Fellowship has agreed to provide educational signage on wetlands and water quality, furthering WES's watershed health education goals. All other necessary approvals from state and federal agencies with wetlands jurisdiction will be acquired by the applicant prior to construction.

RECOMMENDATION:

WES staff recommends the Board, acting as the governing body of Water Environment Services, approve the Approval of an amendment to a conservation easement granted to WES to allow for the Fellowship's proposed site improvement project to proceed, while also minimizing impacts to wetlands and water quality buffers on the site, and further enhancing water quality function through planting native vegetation.

Respectfully submitted,

Greg Geist (Jul 21, 2021 15:30 PD

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Director, Water Environment Services

Attachments: Amended and Restated Grant of Conservation Easement and Exhibits

After recording, return to: Surface Water Management Agency of Clackamas County 150 Beavercreek Rd, Suite 430 Oregon City, Oregon 97045

Amended and Restated Grant of Conservation Easement

WATER ENVIRONMENT SERVICES

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that <u>Athey Creek Christian Fellowship</u>, the owner of the real property described herein ("Grantor"), on June 21, 2007 granted and conveyed to the <u>Surface Water Management Agency of Clackamas County</u> ("SWMACC") a conservation easement, which was then recorded as Clackamas County Official Record document <u>2007-076610</u> (the "Conservation Easement").

On June 28th, 2018, SWMACC assigned its interest in the Conservation Easement to <u>Water Environment Services</u> ("WES" or "Grantee"), which was recorded as Clackamas County Official Record Document <u>2018-041407</u>.

The Conservation Easement signed and recorded in 2007 and assigned in 2018 is hereby amended by replacing the Conservation Easement Exhibits as follows:

The Conservation Easement description document Exhibits "A", "B" & "C" are hereby replaced with the attached Exhibits "A"& "B".

The drawings depicting the Conservation Easement on Exhibits "D" & "E" are hereby replaced with the attached Exhibits "C", "D" & "E".

The new Conservation Easement configuration will preserve a portion of the existing wetlands, and mitigation for loss of existing Conservation Easement area will enhance the water quality functions of the remaining Conservation Easement area.

All other aspects of the Conservation Easement remain in effect as written.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have set their hands and seals:

Representing Athey Creek Christian Fellowship

GRANTOR

OFFICIAL STAMP

BROOKE ABIGAIL MEADOR NOTARY PUBLIC - OREGON COMMISSION NO. 976205	By: Anau More
COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 12, 2022	Printed Name: Thomas D Moone
STATE OF OREGON)	
)ss.	
County of Clackamas)	
	ged before me on this 31 day of, 202 by to be the free act and deed of said corporation/individual.

Notary Public for Oregon
My commission expires: July 12, 2022

GRANTEE

WATER ENVIRONMENT SERVICES

By:Chair
Printed Name:
STATE OF OREGON)
)ss.
County of Clackamas)
This instrument was acknowledged before me on thisday of, 202 by
to be the free act and deed of the Chair of Water Environment Services.
Notary Public for Oregon
My commission expires:



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12/8/2020

REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR

DECEMBER 8, 2020

EXHIBIT "A"

OREGON JUNE 30, 1997 DANIEL A. RENTON 2830

Expires 12-31-2020

ADJUSTED CONSERVATION EASEMENT

A tract of land located in a portion of the James Athey Donation Land Claim Number 59, in a portion of the Southeast quarter of Section 29 and the Southwest quarter of Section 28, Township 2 South, Range 1 East, Willamette Meridian, Clackamas County, Oregon, more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Northeast corner of the Athey Creek Christian Fellowship parcel as described in Document Number 2014-007727, records of Clackamas County, and shown in Survey Number "SN2006-035", said point also being on the Southerly Right-of-Way line of "Ek Road";

Thence North 60°58'48" West, along said Southerly Right-of-Way line, 472.36 feet and the **TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING:**

Thence continuing along said Southerly Right-of-Way line, North 60°58'48" West, 187.80 feet to an angle point;

Thence continuing along said Southerly Right-of-Way line, North 89°50'15" West, 220.86 feet;

Thence leaving said Southerly Right-of-Way line, South 45°04'25" East, 177.78 feet;

Thence North 62°22'29" East, 122.88 feet;

Thence North 77°40'39" East, 32.49 feet;

Thence South 84°12'23" East, 23.21 feet;

Thence South 61°28'08" East, 96.96 feet;

Thence North 29°02'30" East, 21.23 feet and the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING.

CONTAINING 22,797 square feet of land, more or less.



12/8/2020

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Expires 12-31-2020

DECEMBER 8, 2020

EXHIBIT "B"

RETAINED CONSERVATION EASEMENT

A tract of land located in a portion of the James Athey Donation Land Claim Number 59, in a portion of the Southwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 2 South, Range 1 East, Willamette Meridian, Clackamas County, Oregon, more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Southeast corner of the Athey Creek Christian Fellowship parcel as described in Document Number 2014-007727, records of Clackamas County, said point also shown in survey number "SN2006-035", records of said county;

Thence North 89°14'01" West, along the South line of said "Athey Creek Christian Fellowship" parcel, for a distance of 114.97 feet;

Thence leaving said South line, North 65°57'09" West, for a distance of 31.36 feet;

Thence North 13°32'01" East, for a distance of 52.95 feet;

Thence North 06°35'05" West, for a distance of 42.59 feet;

Thence North 31°11'39" East, for a distance of 131.92 feet:

Thence North 57°01'52" East, for a distance of 36.16 feet;

Thence North 67°50'06" East, for a distance of 41.64 feet to the East line of said "Athey Creek Christian Fellowship" parcel;

Thence South 00°15'13" West, along said East line, for a distance of 256.35 feet to the **POINT OF BEGINNING**.

CONTAINING: 27,437 square feet of land, more or less.





