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Member needed for Marion County Parks Commission

There are two open positions on the Marion County Parks Commission. The sevenmember commission meets quarterly to advise the Board of Commissioners on land acquisition, development, operation and maintenance of the system of 19 developed and 3 undeveloped county parks.

The commission also helps promote the discovery of sites and facilities suitable for recreational, scenic and historical purposes. The commission enlists the cooperation of state and federal authorities and local interest groups for development and maintenance of parks and recreation facilities.

Members are appointed by the Board of Commissioners to serve four-year terms and must be at least 18 years old.

Application forms are available at the Marion County Business Services Office, 325 13th St NE, Salem, OR 97301. Completed applications should be submitted by 5 p.m. Friday, November 25, 2011.

For more information or to receive an application by mail, call (503) 588-7990, e-mail crocker@co.marion.or.us or visit Marion County's volunteer Web site, volunteer.co.marion.or.us/

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