

BEFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE
METROPOLITAN SERVICE DISTRICT

For the purpose of declaring)	
Metropolitan Service District)	Resolution No. 79- <u>21</u> /
support for acquisition of St.)	Introduced by
Mary's Woods for a state park.)	Donna Stuhr

WHEREAS, The St. Mary's Woods area, situated north of the Tualatin Valley Highway just west of Beaverton, is one of the largest tracts of undeveloped land in the western part of the Portland metropolitan area, and

WHEREAS, This portion of the metropolitan area currently has no major state park, although the need was identified in planning studies some time ago, and

WHEREAS, The St. Mary's Woods provides a unique offering of marshland, meadow, pond, and creeks plus many varieties of plants, trees and wildlife which includes over 75 species of birds; and

WHEREAS, The Parks and Recreation Branch of the Oregon State Department of Transportation's evaluation has determined the woods would be ideal as a nature study and outdoor education facility; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED,

(1) That the MSD declares its support for the acquisition of St. Mary's Woods for a state park by the Parks Branch of the Oregon State Department of Transportation.

(2) That the Executive Officer of MSD is directed to send a copy of this resolution to the State Parks Branch of the Oregon Department of Transportation, the Heritage Conservation and Recrea-

tion Service, the Governor of the State of Oregon, and to key members of the Oregon State Legislature.

ADOPTED By the Council of the Metropolitan Service District this 8th day of March, 1979.



Presiding Officer

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March 27, 1979

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The Honorable Ed Lindquist
Ways and Means Subcommittee on
Transportation/Natural Resources
House Office Building, Room H280
Salem, OR 97310

Dear Ed:

At its meeting of March 8, 1979, the Council of the Metropolitan Service District adopted Resolution No. 79-21, Declaring Metropolitan Service District support for Acquisition of St. Mary's Woods for a State Park.

A copy of Resolution No. 79-21 is enclosed for your information and consideration at the next meeting of the Ways and Means Subcommittee #6, Transportation/Natural Resources.

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

Rick Gustafson
Executive Officer

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The Honorable Mike Thorne, Chairperson
Ways and Means Subcommittee on
Transportation/Natural Resources
Senate Office Building, S206
Salem, OR 97310

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Ways and Means Subcommittee on
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Senate Office Building, Room S214
Salem, OR 97210

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