

Council Meeting of: May 5, 2008
Agenda Item: 11.2 (a)



CITY OF SALEM,
OREGON
City Council
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MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and City Council
From: Dan Clem, City Councilor – Ward 8
Subject: Pedestrian Safety Zones

Motion:

I move that staff develop an ordinance creating pedestrian safety zones for areas supporting frequent youth activities and sports.

Discussion:

We have several parks in town that have heavily used ball fields and are located in high-traffic areas. I'm concerned about the safety of children in these areas and would like to explore options for increasing pedestrian safety in these areas for children and their families. I would also like to have an estimate of the cost of the potential options, and likely funding sources.