

Request for Decision

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Subject Avery Road Public Access Management Plan

REQUEST

That the Avery Road Public Access Management Plan be adopted.

OPTIONS

1. THAT the Avery Road Public Access Management Plan be adopted.
2. THAT the Avery Road Public Access Management Plan be adopted with the following changes _____.

RECOMMENDATION

Option 1

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS

The RDEK Regional Parks Plan calls for individual park management plans to be prepared for each park and trail.

The approximate cost and estimated timing of future improvements were developed in consideration of consultation with the community during the 2017 Kimberley Rural OCP process and direction from the Environmental Services Department.

The draft plan was reviewed by the St. Mary's Valley Residents Association.

SPECIFIC CONSIDERATIONS

Regional Park Plan

As per the RDEK Regional Parks Plan, separate management plans will be prepared for regional parks on an as needed basis.

Management plans should address such topics as land acquisition, site planning, facility development, recreation, user groups, access management, public safety, maintenance, control of invasive species, threat from wildfire, funding and partnership agreements.

Each management plan will be approved by the Environmental Services Manager and adopted by Board resolution.

Financial

The timeline of the possible improvements may change depending on future funding, human resource capacity and community involvement.

The improvements may require additional tax levies under the Electoral Area E Regional Park Service, community fundraising efforts, and community partnerships/agreements.

Potential Capital Improvements

<u>2019 - 2029</u>	<u>Estimated Cost</u>
Regulatory signage as required	300
<u>Possible Future Improvements</u>	
Kiosk and replacement signage	4,000
TOTAL	\$4,300

Attachment: Avery Road Public Access Management Plan