



**Parks, Recreation  
and Historic Preservation**

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September 13, 2017

Mr. Michael Kalin

VIA Email: [mjkalin@gmail.com](mailto:mjkalin@gmail.com)

**Re: Freedom of Information (FOIL) Request #485-17  
Document re Alienation of South Allen Street Park, Albany, NY**

Dear Mr. Kalin:

Attached is the record maintained by the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation which is responsive to the above-referenced request.

Be advised you have 30 days by which to appeal this determination of the release of records under FOIL. Appeals must be directed to Kathleen Martens, Acting General Counsel, to the address contained on the letterhead.

Sincerely,

Petra M. Larsen  
Records Access Officer

Attachment



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## New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation

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### MEMORANDUM

DATE: July 3, 2012

TO: Mylan Denerstein  
Counsel to the Governor

FROM: Patrick A. Bradford *PAB/mc*  
General Counsel

RE: A.4717-A/S.2342-A

POSITION: No objection

The Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP) has no objection to this bill which authorizes the City of Albany to alienate and convey at fair market value certain parkland to a developer for senior garden apartments.

Specifically, the bill contains a metes and bounds description of the parcel to be alienated, which totals approximately 2.04 acres. In exchange the City will dedicate a 2.20 acre of parcel as parkland in the City of Albany.

The bill also provides that in the event that the replacement parklands are not equal to or greater than the fair market value of the lands being alienated, the county will dedicate additional parkland and/or cause funds to be made available for capital improvements to existing park and recreational facilities to equal the fair market value.