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“Oregon Film Trail Adds Canby’s Eco Park”

Grimm Filmed in Eco Park in early 2014

The City of Canby’s Eco Park will be added to the Oregon Film Trail and commemorated with a community dedication.

The public celebration will be held on Friday, October 29th at 3:00p in Eco Park – located at the intersection of NE Territorial Road and the Logging County Road. The event will feature an address from the City, as well as the official unveiling of the new Oregon Film Trail plaque. All are invited. Light refreshments will be served.

Canby’s Eco Park was featured on the NBC’s popular “Grimm” television series in 2014. The City’s Economic Development Department assisted production crews to identify a location, provide access to the park, and find parking to store trailers, equipment, and crew facilities.

[Oregon Film](#), through a unique partnership with the [Oregon Made Creative Foundation](#), created the Oregon Film Trail. With the support of many community partners, a statewide network of trail markers is being placed in many iconic filming locations across Oregon. The Oregon Film Trail is strengthening Oregon’s growing film tourism market by stitching together these communities, locations, and film history to create a structure, both virtual and real, in which we can retell stories, and celebrate our state’s contribution to filmmaking since the early 1900’s.

Tim Williams, Oregon Film’s Executive Director stated, “We are grateful to our partners in Canby for helping us continue to recognize the importance of film tourism in Oregon. As the Oregon Film Trail continues to grow, our sign in Canby recognizes the importance of Grimm as just one show among many that filmed there and in other locations around Clackamas County and across the whole state.”

Oregon has a rich and interesting film history with well over 500 feature films and television shows that have utilized thousands of locations around the state for a wide variety of production backdrops. Today, Oregon continues to be a destination for creative media producers from around the world. From Emmy winning television productions, to Oscar-nominated feature films; world-class animated films to award-winning interactive games – Oregon is a brand unto itself.

“Partnering with the Oregon Film Trail is an exciting opportunity for Canby,” said Sarah Spoon, Canby City Councilor. “We have been developing the sense of place that makes Canby special. This partnership,

plaque, and spot on the Oregon Film Trail map allows us to show the whole region how beautiful and unique our community truly is as we continue to establish and market our value as a destination worth visiting.”

The collection of Oregon Film Trail markers aims to strengthen the correlation between the film and TV industries, economic development, tourism, and local interest alike.

For more information about the Oregon Film Trail, visit <https://www.historicoregonfilmtrail.com/>.

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