

Town of Blowing Rock

Request for Council Action

FROM: Jennifer Brown Director of Blowing Rock Parks & Recreation
SUBJECT: 2018 Blowing Rock Fall Classic
TO: Town Council
DATE: February 13, 2018
REQUESTED BY: Scott Nelson, Board Member of Blood Sweat and Gears and Ride Director

Public Hearing Yes No Will be required
Properly Advertised Yes No Will be required

BACKGROUND:

We have received a request from Blood Sweat and Gears Board Member and Ride Director, Scott Nelson to hold their 4th annual Blowing Rock Fall Classic bike ride on Saturday, September 15, 2018. The race will begin on Park Avenue and make a loop going through Happy Valley, Collettsville, Linville, and back to Park Avenue.

They will coordinate activities with Parks & Recreation, Blowing Rock Fire & Rescue, and the Blowing Rock Police Department. A copy of their certificate of insurance will be provided prior to the event.

STATEMENT OF PLAN CONSISTENCY:

It is the opinion of staff that the proposed action IS IS NOT consistent with the Comprehensive Plan for Blowing Rock or other officially adopted plan (list if other: _____).

Specifically, this action is in accord with the following sections of the Comprehensive Plan:

ATTACHMENTS:

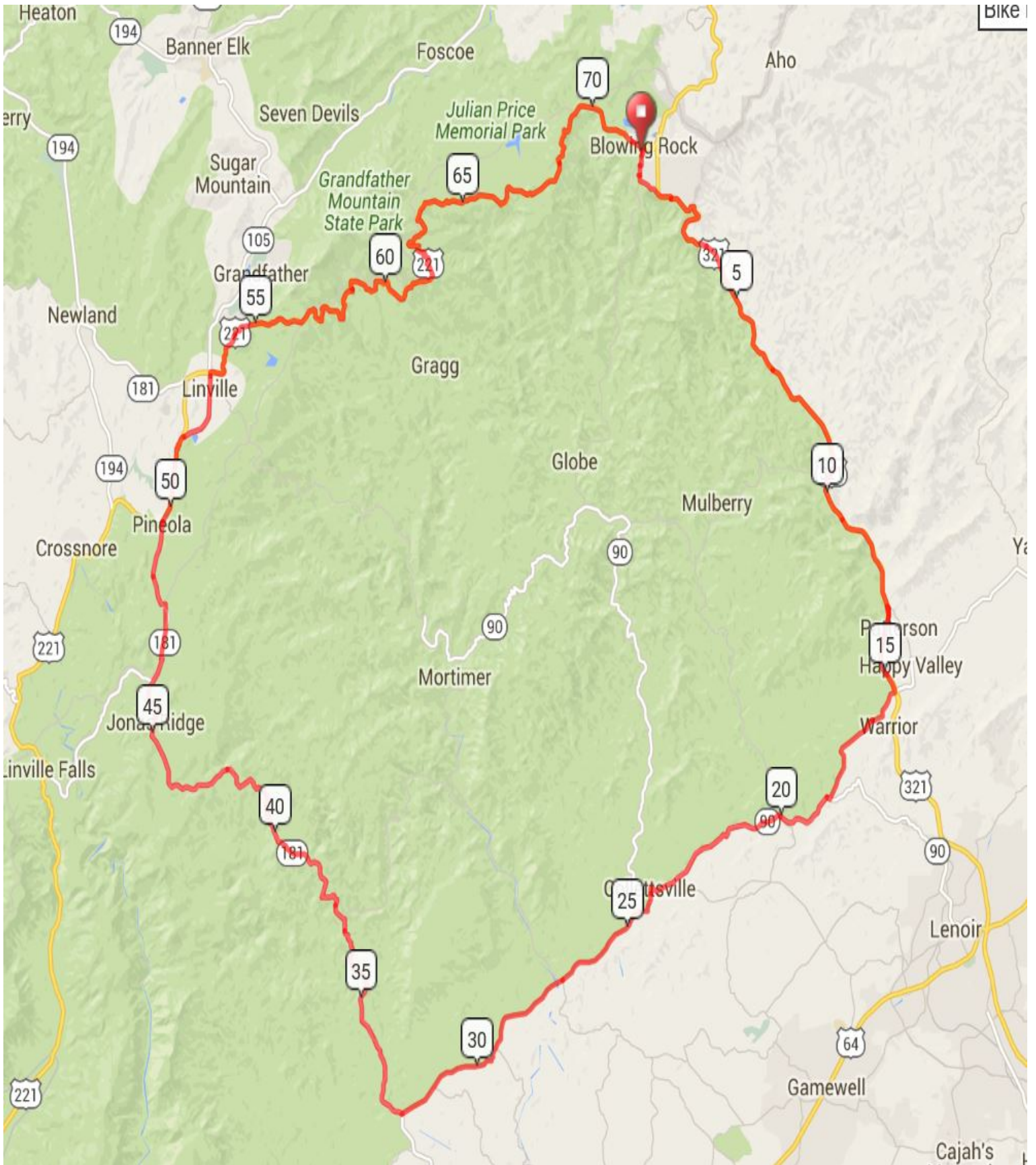
1. Letter of Request from Scott Nelson
2. Map of the overall Route
3. Map of the Blowing Rock portion of the race

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Town Council ***approve*** the Blowing Rock Fall Classic on Saturday, September 15, 2018.

COUNCIL ACTION:

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Jennifer,

BSG Events requests holding the 4th Blowing Rock Fall Classic on Saturday, Sept 15, 2018.

Similar to years past we request use of Park Avenue, the Police Dept parking lot, and the shelter adjacent to PD parking lot.

Start of the ride will be at 8am and we should be finished by 3pm.

We will use the elementary school as primary location for parking and inform riders not to park on the streets. Our experience is favorable in that regard.

Please advise if additional information is needed.

Sincerely,

Scott Nelson
Ride Director

