



2025 South Dakota Legislature

Senate Bill 97

Introduced by: **Senator Reed**

1 **An Act to allow the governing body of a municipality to change the use of municipally**
2 **owned parkland by ordinance.**

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 **Section 1. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 9-38:**

5 The governing body of a first or second class municipality may by ordinance
6 authorize a change in the use of land obtained pursuant § 9-38-31. Any change in the use
7 of land obtained pursuant to § 9-38-31 may only be authorized if the land is to be used
8 for a public purpose.

9 The governing body must give notice of the proposed ordinance by publishing the
10 proposed ordinance in the municipality's official newspaper once a week for at least two
11 successive weeks. The last publication of the notice must occur at least fourteen days
12 before the meeting at which the ordinance is scheduled to be first read.