PURPOSE:

To control access to the Research Courtyard to ensure pedestrian safety and compliance with traffic weight restrictions.

DEFINITIONS:

**Research Courtyard:** The open area which is accessible from the Richard Jones Hall Addition, Richard Jones Hall, Vollum, Medical Research Building, Mackenzie Hall and the OHSU Auditorium. Access into the area is gained from behind the OHSU Auditorium, beyond the bollards.

**Snow Boss:** Designated OHSU point of contact during modified operations.

PROCEDURE:

The Research Courtyard is a pedestrian-safe zone where vehicle and powered cart access is restricted. Normal traffic is restricted using locking traffic bollards.

The following categories are exempt from this restriction:

- Emergency vehicles responding to an emergency
- Snow removal equipment during inclement weather (as directed by the Snow Boss, or when the Modified Operations is in effect)
- Small Facilities & Logistics maintenance or grounds-keeping vehicles
- Preapproved construction vehicles

To request a specific additional exception to this procedure, contact Campus Access and Commute Services at commute@ohsu.edu (M-F 8am-4:30pm) and Department of Public Safety at 503-494-7744 (during all other times).

Enforcement

Non-exempt vehicles that gain access into the Research Courtyard without an

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exception from CACS will be subject to ticketing and/or towing at the vehicle owner’s expense.

PROCESS MANAGEMENT AND INQUIRIES

Campus Access and Commute Services manages the implementation of this procedure, and any questions should be directed to them.

ADVISING COMMITTEE(S):

Strategic Transportation and Parking Advisory Committee