

APPROVED MINUTES
WYOMING PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
CITY OF WYOMING, MINNESOTA
AUGUST 7, 2023
7:00PM

CALL TO ORDER:

Chair Spangler called the Regular Meeting of the Wyoming Park Advisory Commission for August 7, 2023 to order at 7:00PM

CALL OF ROLL:

On a Call of the Roll the following members of the Wyoming Park Advisory Commission were present: Members Bruce Spangler, Heather Vandenheuvel, Jessica Bergan, and Bruce Vukelich

Absent: Rick Ahartz

Also Present: Robb Linwood, City Administrator and Brett Ohnstad, Council Liaison

Visitors: None

DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM:

Chair Spangler determined a Quorum was present.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

OPEN FORUM:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

- 1. Consider approving the minutes of “Regular Meeting” of the Wyoming Park Advisory Commission for June 5, 2023**

A MOTION WAS MADE BY MEMBER VUKELICH, SECONDED BY MEMBER VANDENHEUVEL, TO APPROVE THE PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION MINUTES FROM THE MAY 1, 2023 MEETING.

Voting Aye: Spangler, Vandenheuvel, Bergan, and Vukelich

Voting Nay: None

Abstain: None

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

- 2. Park Information request from Administrator Linwood**

Administrator Linwood asked the board for some more detail from their last meeting on Park Discussions

Members gave the following feedback regarding Fireside Park:

- Review of Swing Sets – seem to be utilized, potential upgrade, ada swings
- What can be kept as far as equipment
- Replace sand in some areas
- Potential short disc golf course

- Can the current space be expanded
- Extra parking would require some movement of existing features
- Some stand-alone playground items, potentially sensory, ADA
- Bee and Butterfly garden – How long is it necessary to keep going and are there other options

Splash Pad

- What is possible
- Type – costs
- Recycling or recirculating of water and what if we ran into a water ban
- Power costs

Dog Park

- Potential use of Town Hall Park by Police station and public works
- Is there field rental at that park
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COMMUNICATIONS:

3. Park Construction Update

City Administrator Linwood discussed the groundbreaking at Railroad Park at the end of June. The anticipated construction in the coming months. On Wednesday, August 2, 2023 staff held a pre-construction meeting with contractors for the project. The start of the construction on the Veterans memorial portion of the park will begin the week of August 14th.

4. Park Steward Updates

Vandenhuevel – Merry Go Round should be checked out at Lions Park – appears it may be bent.

Spangler – Centennial park trees are looking good and we received an update on Railroad Park already.

Vukelich – Banta park looks fine and in good order. Verges memorial park in good shape – Swenson Park – Tennis courts have some larger cracks and some weeds growing in them.

Bergan – Ashton Park is good – some sand wasps – Tolzmann – The tube appears to be fixed.

ADJOURN

A MOTION WAS MADE BY MEMBER VANDENHUEVEL, SECONDED BY MEMBER VUKELICH TO ADJOURN THE AUGUST 7, 2023 MEETING OF THE WYOMING, PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION AT 7:22PM

Voting Aye: Spangler, Vandenhuevel, Bergan, and Vukelich,

Voting Nay: None

Abstain: None

NEXT MEETING:
September 10, 2023
7:00PM