

APPROVED MINUTES
WYOMING PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
CITY OF WYOMING, MINNESOTA
APRIL 6, 2026
7:00PM

CALL TO ORDER:

Chair Spangler called the Regular Meeting of the Wyoming Park Advisory Commission for April 6, 2026 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, Jessica Bergan, and Bruce Vukelich.*

Absent:

Also Present: Grant MacFarlane – Assistant City Administrator and Robb Linwood – City Administrator

Visitors: Chris DuBose – Chisago Lakes Rotary Club Member

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 the “Regular Meeting” of the Wyoming Park Advisory Commission for March 2, 2026**

A MOTION WAS MADE BY MEMBER BERGAN, SECONDED BY MEMBER VUKELICH, TO APPROVE THE PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION MINUTES FROM THE MARCH 2, 2026 MEETING.

Voting Aye: Spangler, Vukelich, and Bergan

Voting Nay: None

Abstain: None

NEW BUSINESS:

- 2. To discuss the Rotary Club’s Swedish Immigrant Trail Improvement Project**

Assistant City Administrator MacFarlane stated that Chris DuBose, Chisago Lakes Rotary Club Member and project lead, was present to discuss the proposed improvement project.

Chris Dubose stated that the project would see improvements to the Swedish Immigrant Trail throughout Chisago County and would include new mile markers, historical signs, benches, and bike racks. Added that each city would have its own theme and that their portions of the trail would be designed with elements of the selected theme. Asked the PAC members for a Wyoming theme and for a monetary contribution of \$2,000 to the project.

Commissioner Vukelich inquired about whether the funds would come from the Parks and Trails

fund.

Assistant City Administrator MacFarlane confirmed that this would be the funding source.

The Park Advisory Commissioners agreed that they would like to participate in the project. Consensus was reached to recommend a stagecoach theme and to contribute \$2,000 to the project.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY MEMBER BERGAN, SECONDED BY MEMBER VUKELICH, TO RECOMMEND THAT THE CITY COUNCIL APPROVE A \$2,000 CONTRIBUTION TO THE SWEDISH IMMIGRANT TRAIL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT.

Voting Aye: Spangler, Vukelich, and Bergan

Voting Nay: None

Abstain: None

3. To consider the Letter of Interest from Hector Rodriguez for the Wyoming Park Advisory Commission

Assistant City Administrator MacFarlane shared that Hector Rodriguez had provided a letter of interest to the Park Advisory Commission stating his desire to join the PAC.

The Commissioners expressed excitement over adding an additional member.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY MEMBER BERGAN, SECONDED BY MEMBER VUKELICH, TO RECOMMEND THAT THE CITY COUNCIL APPOINT HECTOR RODRIGUEZ AS A MEMBER OF THE PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION.

Voting Aye: Spangler, Vukelich, and Bergan

Voting Nay: None

Abstain: None

4. 2026 Arbor Day Proclamation

Assistant City Administrator MacFarlane stated that the City was a Tree City USA program member and that, as a member, the City was required to issue an Arbor Day proclamation and to host an Arbor Day Tree Planting event. Added that the event would be held on Saturday, April 25th at Tolzmann Park from 10am-Noon.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY MEMBER SPANGLER, SECONDED BY MEMBER BERGAN, TO ISSUE A PROCLAMATION DECLARING FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 2026 AS “ARBOR DAY” IN THE CITY OF WYOMING.

Voting Aye: Spangler, Vukelich, and Bergan

Voting Nay: None

Abstain: None

5. To review results of the Fitness Corridor Public Survey

Assistant City Administrator MacFarlane provided the results of the month-long public survey regarding the potential outdoor fitness corridor.

Chair Spangler stated that the results were underwhelming and that he believed that the project should be put on hold.

Member Vukelich added that he did not believe that the project should move forward based on survey results. Member Bergan agreed.

COMMUNICATIONS:

6. Spring Medallion Hunt 2026 Recap

Assistant City Administrator MacFarlane informed the Commissioners that the medallion hunt was

held during the week of March 11th and that is was found on the final day at Banta Park.

Park Steward Updates:

Commissioner Vukelich – Noted that many of the items mentioned at the previous meeting had been repaired or addressed. Noticed some exposed roots at Goodview Park, tire marks at Lions Park, and damaged park perimeter at Goodview Park.

Commissioner Bergan – Parks looked good and were being utilized.

Chair Spangler – Stated that their parks looked good.

ADJOURN

**A MOTION WAS MADE BY MEMBER BERGAN, SECONDED BY MEMBER VUKELICH,
TO ADJOURN THE APRIL 6, 2026 MEETING OF THE WYOMING PARK ADVISORY
COMMISSION AT 7:43PM**

Voting Aye: Spangler, Bergan, and Vukelich

Voting Nay: None

Abstain: None

**NEXT MEETING:
MAY 4, 2026
7:00PM**