

Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee

Meeting was held at the Parks & Recreation Conference Room, 10 W State Street

Meeting: August 16, 2023

Members Present: Andrew Pool, Jill Herink, Neil Dalal, Steve Storjohann

Absent: Cindy Brodin, Laurel Degelau, Wynne Brothers

Staff Present: Geoff Hubbard

Approval of Minutes

May minutes were review and recommended for approval by Dalal, seconded by Pool.

Approved by all.

Parks Update

The playground, basketball hoop, and soccer goals have been ordered for Peterson Park. Engineering is working on design specifications for the concrete work for the basketball court, shelter and walkways. Bids for that work will go out in August/September. Plans are to have this completed in late fall.

The Kiwanis Park construction bids went out July 25 after Council approves the plans on Monday, July 24. The plan is to replace the basketball hoop, add a pickleball court, foot volleyball court, full sized soccer field, and a shelter. Staff will be ordering the basketball hoops, soccer goals, volleyball net, and sign for the project. Plans are to have this completed by June 1, 2024.

Recreation and Aquatics Update

The pool will be closing August 19. The lazy river main pump failed on Sunday, August 6. Staff has been manually checking and adding chemicals to keep it balanced until the end of the season. A new one will get ordered before next year.

Meeting adjourned at 4:41pm

Next meeting is at 4:15pm on September 20, 2023 in the Veterans Memorial Coliseum.