

Citizen's Recreation Commission Meeting Minutes
Virtual meeting of the Citizen's Recreation Commission was held on April 13, 2021 at Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan.

CALLED TO ORDER: 7:10

PRESENT:

Angela Brown
Lindsay Fratarolli
Gib Heim
Tom Jerger
Mark Miller
Tony Rennpage
Sarah Seger

ABSENT:

Barb Janutol
Amanda York

ALSO, PRESENT:

Art Bryant, Nicole Gerhart, Thomas Vaughn and Melinda Billingsly.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA:

Motion was made for acceptance of the agenda for April 13, 2021 by Gib Heim, and seconded by Lindsay Fratarolli.

Approval of motion:

Yes: Brown, Heim, Fratarolli, Jerger, Miller, Rennpage, and Seger

No: None

Absent: Janutol and York

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

Motion to accept the minutes from March 9, 2021 was made by Gib Heim and seconded by Sarah Seger.

Approval of motion:

Yes: Brown, Heim, Fratarolli, Jerger, Miller, Rennpage, and Seger

No: None

Absent: Janutol and York

COUNCIL MEETING REPORT:

Angela Brown and Thomas Vaughn have been appointed Council Members to fill vacant seats. Angela will resign as a member of the Recreation Commission. Mayor Art Bryant will appoint her as the City Council liaison for the Recreation Commission.

SUPERVISOR'S REPORT:

- Lifeguard training classes are being held in anticipation of the upcoming pool opening.

- The vehicular bridge will open April 17th (following a 10 am ribbon cutting ceremony).
- Boaters may launch their crafts beginning April 15th.
- 2020 – 2022 park passes are required to enter the Park. Applications for passes are being processed at the Community Center (extended hours on Tuesday and Thursday).
- Mini-golf will open May 1st.
- There is no definitive date as yet for opening the pool to the public.
 - Decisions on park activities including opening the pool, pool hours, pool capacity, swim lessons and swim team will be made closer to usual starting dates and will be based on COVID guidelines.
 - Operation of the diving well and water slide will depend on availability of lifeguards.

OLD BUSINESS:

Kayak Update:

- The new kayak launch ramp is ready for use. A formal opening ceremony may take place in conjunction with the vehicular bridge opening ceremony.
- The opening of the new kayak storage rack is anticipated later in the spring.
- There is currently a waiting list for kayak storage.

Chene-Trombley Park:

- This is an ongoing project.
- Nicole Gerhart attended a meeting with Stuckey-Vitale Architects to review the park improvement plan. This plan includes “tot friendly” playground equipment/structures, a walking path new benches, lighting, etc.

NEW BUSINESS:

No new business/No public comment.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Gib Heim and seconded by Sarah Seger.

Approval of motion:

Yes: Brown, Heim, Fratarolli, Jerger, Miller, Rennpage, and Seger

No: None

Absent: Janutol and York

Meeting Adjourned at 7:39 pm.

Respectfully submitted by: Lindsay Fratarolli, member of the Grosse Pointe Woods Citizen's Recreation Commission.