

# Parks & Recreation Advisory Commission MEETING MINUTES January 19, 2021

#### CALL TO ORDER

➤ Meeting was called to order at 7:00pm

#### **ROLL CALL**

➤ Members present: Brooke Lipe

Tom Mifflin Erin Mignin Gary Klaus

### APPROVAL OF December 15, 2020 MEETING MINUTES

➤ Motion to approve minutes as written was made, approved, and carried by all. Minutes will be made official and sent to city for record.

## **DEPARTMENT UPDATES**

- ➤ COVID has continued to be a burden for attendance and revenue. However, the weekends are reaching maximum allowed attendance.
- ➤ 4 fun-runs will take place this year; pizza run, solstice run, haunted hustle & gobble hobble.
- Eagle Scout finished the pavilion at the dog-park.
- ➤ Outdoor Pool will be delayed or at the least, slowed down due to COVID. Architect will be shrinking the footprint and look for ways to create synergy with existing amenities of the KRC.

# **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- ➤ Teen Center Director Rosen will reach out to Caleb Houchins at HHS to look at starting some basic plans after the budget meetings.
- ➤ PEP Grant Items being requested are; planters, bags/cornhole games and chess tables for The Plaza that will be going in the vacant lot across from the Square. Additionally, retaining walls for parking lots at Silver Lake Park and a concrete apron around the fountain will be requested. As it looks now, approximately \$36,000 is where the quotes stand now.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

> SIUE students will be assisting with creating a survey and a template for the Senior Center as well as create message boards to be placed around the pond/wetland at Silver Lake Park.

With no further business to discuss, a motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 7:20pm.

Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 16, 2021, 7:00pm, Korte Recreation Center

Minutes prepared by Erin Mignin