



MINUTES

PARKS & TRAILS COMMISSION
Monday, September 20, 2021 at 6:30 PM

LOCATION: Drace Park Pavilion

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| <u>Call to Order</u> | x_ Commission Chair, Fritz Wiesehan | | |
| <u>Ward I</u> | <u>Ward II</u> | <u>Ward III</u> | <u>Ward IV</u> |
| x_ Jack Dunning | x_ Adam Baer | __ Stephanie Petersen | x_ Meg Johnson |
| __ John Steinhubl | _x_ Beth Nelson | x_ Kassie Harold | x_ Steve Korbecki |
| <u>At Large</u> | __ Alyson Barclay, Ward I __ Vacant | | |
| Staff Liaison: Anne Nixon | | | |

Approval of Minutes: 8/2/21 Motion to approve by Adam Baer. Second by Steve Korbecki. Unanimously approved.

Commission Member Reports: Longview, Drace, Preservation, Town Square

- Adam Baer reported park restrooms always look very clean. Credit goes to Dan Coppin who does most of the restroom and pavilion cleaning.
- Kassie Harold reported the area to the back of Drace Park has some moss on the trail.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Changes to Commission Responsibilities-Commission members recommended inviting some of the eliminated commissions' active members to join Parks and Trails or to serve on working committees.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Proposal for Wirth Grove Sign Donation-Skip Mange presented sign proofs for the Commission to review and consider accepting a donation from the Town and Country Historical Society. Discussion followed.
MOTION to accept the sign and that it be placed in the vicinity of location #3 by Adam Baer. Second by Steve Korbecki. Unanimously approved.
2. Drace Playground Update-Anne Nixon reported the Board of Aldermen approved the grant application resolution. The Grant Commission will make their awards by the end of the year.
3. Fall Festival Volunteers for Lawn Games Booth –Some Commission members were not available and others wanted to attend and enjoy the events.
4. Budget Review-Anne Nixon reviewed all recommended significant increases and decreases in the budget with the Commission.

NEXT MEETING October 18, 2021 6:30 PM

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