



**THE CITY OF WORCESTER**  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND PARKS  
PARKS, RECREATION, & CEMETERY DIVISION  
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**PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING**

Thursday September 19, 2013 – 7:00 P.M.  
Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Administrative Office  
Meeting Room A  
50 Skyline Drive, Worcester, MA 01605

**AGENDA**

1. Call to Order
2. Acceptance of Minutes for the June 20, 2013
3. Committee Reports
  - Golf Course Subcommittee – None
  - Policy Subcommittee – None
  - Naming & Land Use Subcommittee - None
4. Commissioners Report (See Report Topics Below)
5. Old Business
6. New Business
7. Date of Next Meeting:
  - September 19, 2013
  - October 24, 2013 (Open Space & Recreation Plan Meeting 6:30pm)
  - November 21, 2013
  - December 19, 2013
8. Meeting Adjourned

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**ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:**

1. Referral to Policy Subcommittee: None
2. Referral to Naming/ Land Usage Subcommittee: None
3. Referral to Golf Course Subcommittee: None
4. General:
  - Cars of Summer Update & Post Event Discussion
  - New Commissioners
  - Worcester Common Ice Skating Rink - NA
  - Park Concessions - NA
  - Grant Applications – Update
    - Grant for Green Hill Park & Crompton Park
  - Park Vandalism & Graffiti - NA
  - Donations
    - Donation from MIAA for Rockwood Softball Field
    - Donation from MIAA for Lake Park Baseball Field
  - Capital Improvement Programs
    - Worcester Common Master Plan Implementation – Update
      - Front & Sides of City Hall
    - Aquatic Master Plan – Update
      - East Park Aquatic Facility
    - Institute Park – Update
      - Restroom Facility, Gazebo & Walkway

- Salisbury Pond
  - Green Hill Park Renovation – Update
    - Vietnam Veterans Memorial
    - Green Hill Farm
  - Elm Park – Task Force & Update
    - Fire Alarm & Telegraph Building
  - Logan Field – Update (Construction)
  - Holmes Field - Update
  - Greenwood Park - Update
  - Rockwood Field – NA
  - Vernon Hill – NA
  - Newton Hill – Monument
  - East Park – NA
  - Knights of Columbus – Update
  - University Park – Update
  - Crompton Park – NA
  - Cookson Park – NA
  - Blackstone Gateway Park – NA
  - Bell Pond - NA
  - Park Renovation Funding – Update
  - Lake Park Synthetic Field - Update
  - Open Space and Recreation Plan – Update & Additional meetings
  - North Lake Ave Linear Park – NA
  - Beaver Brook – Update
  - Indian Lake (Shore, Indian Lake Beach & Morgan - Update)
- Community Development Block Grant - NA
- Art-in-the-Park – Update
- Dog Park, Licensing & Control of Dogs – NA
- Misc items:
  - Keep Worcester Clean
    - June 2013, July 2013
  - City Council Orders
    - Request of WYSL
    - Dodge Park
    - Lake Park Community House
    - Vendor policy
    - South Worcester Playground (Harry Sherry Field)
    - University Park (Crystal)
  - Petitions – NA
  - ALB Update
  - Forestry Operations – NA
  - Budget Update – Operational & Capital
    - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division
  - Summer Youth Employment Program – NA
  - Wheels to Water - Update
  - Holiday Tree – NA
  - Waterfowl in Park – NA
  - Out-to-Lunch – NA
  - Trash – NA
  - ESCo – NA
  - Park Permits – NA
  - Access/ ADA - NA
  - Misc Information – NA
    - Big Dipper
    - Caribbean Carnival
    - Adopt and Island
    - Youth Opportunities Office
  - City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Sub Committee
- Golf Course:
  - Fees & Policies
- Golf Course Donations
  - Donation to the Danny Rossetti Golf Program
- Tabled Items: - Smoking in Public Parks

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**GENERAL**