



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

Thursday December 10, 2015 – 6:30 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 October 29, 2015 & November 19, 2015
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 – NA
7. Date of Next Meeting:
 - January 7, 2015
 - January 28, 2016 (Sports League & Event Meeting)
 - February 25, 2016
 - March 10, 2016 (**Meeting Date Changed**)
 - March 31, 2016 (**Meeting Date Changed**)
 - May 5, 2016
 - May 26, 2016
 - June 9, 2016
 - June 30, 2016
8. Meeting Adjourned

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

1. Referral to Policy Subcommittee: NA
2. Referral to Naming/ Land Usage Subcommittee: NA
3. Referral to Golf Course Subcommittee: NA
4. General:
 - Green Hill Park World War I Memorial Grove Presentation
 - Park Permit Application & Fees – Review & Approval
 - Park Rules & Regulations - Review & Approval
 - Facility Reservation for Spray Park & Pools Policy
 - Grant Applications –
 - Coes Knife
 - Providence Street Playground Rectangular Field
 - TD Green Streets Grant
 - Economic Development Initiatives - Update
 - Park Vandalism & Graffiti – NA
 - Donations – NA

- Capital Improvement Programs
 - Apricot Street Playground - NA
 - Ball Property - NA
 - Banis Street Playground - NA
 - Beaver Brook Park - NA
 - Bell Pond – NA
 - Bennett Field – Update
 - Betty Price Playground – Master Plan Update @ CC
 - Blackstone Gateway Park – NA
 - Blithwood Park – NA
 - Boynton Park – NA
 - Burncoat Park – Master Plan Update @ CC
 - Burncoat Playground – NA
 - Cascades Park – NA
 - Castle Park – Master Plan Update @ CC
 - Common Master Plan Implementation – NA
 - WWII & Civil War
 - Coes Knife Park – Update
 - Stearns Tavern
 - Playground
 - Coes Pond – NA
 - Columbus Park – NA
 - Cookson Park – NA
 - Cristoforo Columbo (East Park) – NA
 - Crompton Park – Update
 - Dodge Park – NA
 - Elm Park – Task Force & Update
 - Bridge
 - Newton Hill - NA
 - Fairmont Park – NA
 - Farber Field – NA
 - Grant Square – Update
 - Great Brook Valley Playground – NA
 - Green Hill Park Renovation – Update
 - Green Hill Farm
 - Greenwood Park – Master Plan Update @ CC
 - Hadwen Park – NA
 - Harrington Field – NA
 - Harry Sherry Field (South Worcester) - Master Plan Update @ CC
 - Holland Rink - Master Plan Update @ CC
 - Holmes Field - Master Plan Update @ CC
 - Indian Hill Park – NA
 - Indian Lake Beach – NA
 - Institute Park – Update
 - Restroom Facility, Gazebo
 - Salisbury Pond - Update
 - Kendrick Field – NA
 - Knights of Columbus – NA
 - Korean War Memorial – NA
 - Lake Park – Update
 - Lake Park State (possible Synthetic Field) - NA
 - Lake View Playground – NA
 - Logan Field – NA
 - Morgan Landing – NA
 - Mulcahy Field - Master Plan Update @ CC
 - Oakland Heights Playground – NA
 - Providence Street Playground – NA
 - Ramshorn Island – NA
 - Rockwood Field – NA
 - Salisbury Park (Bancroft Tower) – NA

- Shale Street Playground – Master Plan Update (December 2, 2015)
- Shore Park – NA
- Spillane Field – NA
- Tacoma Street Playground – NA
- TY Cobb – NA
- University Park – NA
- Vernon Hill – NA
- Wetherall Estates (Duffy Field) – NA
- 149 West Boylston Drive - NA
- Winslow & Pleasant - NA
- Aquatic Master Plan – NA
- Open Space and Recreation Plan – Update
- North Lake Ave Linear Park – NA
- Community Development Block Grant – Update
- Art-in-the-Park – NA
- Dog Park, Licensing & Control of Dogs – Master Plan Update (December 21, 2015)
- Rectangular Field Development – Master Plan Update
- Misc items:
 - Keep Worcester Clean –
 - NA
 - City Council Orders
 - NA
 - Petitions
 - Tree Removal
 - ALB – NA
 - Forestry Operations – NA
 - Budget Update – Operational & Capital -
 - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division – Update
 - Capital Improvement program – Update
 - City Five Point Financial Plan - Update
 - Summer Youth Employment Program – NA
 - Wheels to Water – Now “Recreation Worcester” - NA
 - Holiday Tree – Update
 - Worcester Common Ice Skating Rink - Update
 - Waterfowl in Park – NA
 - Out-to-Lunch – NA
 - Trash – NA
 - ESCo – NA
 - Park Permits – NA
 - Access/ ADA – NA
 - Mobile Concession - NA
 - Misc Information –
 - Stearns Tavern Article
 - Green Hill Article
- City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Sub Committee
 - NA
- Golf Course:
 - Concession Lease Golf Course
 - Pakachoag Golf Course Article
- Golf Course Donations
 - NA
- Tabled Items: - Smoking in Public Parks – NA

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