

THE CITY OF WORCESTER

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND PARKS PARKS, RECREATION, & CEMETERY DIVISION

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PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING

Thursday June 21, 2012 – 7:00 P.M.
Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Administrative Office
Meeting Room A
50 Skyline Drive, Worcester, MA 01605

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order
- Acceptance of Minutes for the April 26, 2012 & May 24, 2012
- 3. Committee Reports

Golf Course Subcommittee – None Policy Subcommittee – None Naming & Land Use Subcommittee - None

- 4. Commissioners Report (See Report Topics Below)
- Old Business
- New Business
- 7. Date of Next Meeting
 - September 6, 2012
 - September 27, 2012
 - October 25, 2012
 - November 15, 2012
 - December 20, 2012
- 8. Meeting Adjourned

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

1. Referral to Policy Subcommittee: None

2. Referral to Naming/ Land Usage Subcommittee: None

3. <u>Referral to Golf Course Subcommittee</u>: None

4. <u>General</u>:

- Holmes Field Aquatic Facility Program Discussion
- Request of Centro Las Americas to allow alcohol beverages at the 2012 Latin Festival
- Request of Open Road Music Festival for an event at Institute Park
- Request of the Bridge of Central Mass for an event at Beaver Brook Park
- Park Concessions NA
- Grant Applications
 - o Update
- Park Vandalism & Graffiti
 - o NA
- Donations
- o NA
- Capital Improvement Programs
 - Worcester Common Master Plan Implementation Update
 - City Hall Plaza Renovations

- o Aquatic Master Plan Update
 - Demolition of remaining seven pools
 - Design of East Park Aquatic Facility
- o Institute Park Update
- o Green Hill Park Renovation Update
 - Vietnam Veterans Memorial Update
- o Elm Park Task Force & Update
 - Fire Alarm & Telegraph Building Update
- o Logan Field Update (Skate Park & Construction)
- o Rockwood Field NA
- Vernon Hill Update
- Newton Hill NA
- o East Park NA
- o Knights of Columbus Update
- o University Park Update
- o Crompton Park NA
- o Cookson Park NA
- o Blackstone Gateway Park NA
- o Greenwood Park Update
 - Community Meeting June 25, 2012 at 6:00 PM
- o Bell Pond Update
- o Park Renovation Funding Update
- Community Development Block Grant Update
- Art-in-the-Park Update
- Dog Park, Licensing & Control of Dogs Update
- Misc items:
- o Keep Worcester Clean
 - April 2012
- o City Council Orders
 - Burncoat Park Playground Request
 - Grant Square Request
 - Grant Square Fence Request
 - Soccer Field Request
 - South High Swimming Pool Request
 - Parks Commission Request
 - Aquatic Facilities Request
 - Duffy Field Request
 - Elm Park Request
- o Petitions
 - NA
- o ALB Update
- o Forestry Operations Update
- Budget Update Operational & Capital
 - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division
 - Golf Course
- o Summer Youth Employment Program Update
- o Wheels to Water Update
- o Holiday Tree NA
- Waterfowl in Park NA
- o Out-to-Lunch Update (start on June 29, 2012 12:00 Noon)
- \circ Trash NA
- o ESCo-NA
- o City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Committee
 - Update
- Golf Course:
 - o ADA Policies & Procedures
- Golf Course Donations
 - o NA
- Tabled Items:
 - o Smoking in Public Parks

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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

GENERAL