



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 19, 2013 – 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 November 21, 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 – NA
7. Date of Next Meeting:
 - January 16, 2014 (League & Organization Meeting)
 - February 6, 2014
 - February 27, 2014
 - March 20, 2014
 - April 10, 2014
 - May 1, 2014
 - May 29, 2014
 - June 26, 2014
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:
 - Open Space & Recreation Plan (Available at www.worcesterma.gov)
 - Park Permit Form Review and Approval
 - Grant Applications – Update
 - Grant for Green Hill Park & Crompton Park
 - Park Vandalism & Graffiti - NA
 - Donations
 - NA
 - 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
 - Green Hill Farm
 - Elm Park – Task Force & Update
 - Bridge
 - Logan Field – NA
 - Holmes Field - Update
 - Greenwood Park - Update
 - Rockwood Field – Parking Update
 - Vernon Hill – NA
 - Newton Hill – NA
 - 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 – Master Plan Update
 - Burncoat Park / Holland Rink – Master Plan Update
 - Castle Park – Master Plan Update
 - Grant Square – Master Plan Update
- Community Development Block Grant - NA
- Art-in-the-Park – NA
- Dog Park, Licensing & Control of Dogs – NA
- Misc items:
 - Keep Worcester Clean
 - October 2013
 - City Council Orders
 - Rectangular Field Requests
 - Petitions –
 - Green Hill Parkway
 - ALB - NA
 - Forestry Operations – NA
 - Budget Update – Operational & Capital
 - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division - Update
 - Summer Youth Employment Program – NA
 - Wheels to Water - 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
 - Misc Information – NA
 - Park Naming Article
 - Worcester Took First Stand in Revolution Article
 - City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Sub Committee
 - Meeting on 12-4-13
- Golf Course:
 - NA
- Golf Course Donations
- Tabled Items: - Smoking in Public Parks

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