



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

Thursday February 6, 2014 – 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 January 16, 2014
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:
 - 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:
 - Master Plan for Indian Lake Park Facilities (not including 149 West Boylston)
 - Master Plan Update
 - Grant Applications – Update
 - Grant for Playground Development
 - Park Vandalism & Graffiti - NA
 - Donations
 - Dodge Park
 - Skyhawks Sports Academy
 - Whitaker Square
 - 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 – 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 – Update
- Misc items:
 - Keep Worcester Clean
 - December 2013
 - City Council Orders
 - Playground Replacement at Public Schools
 - Sanitation Empty Parks Trash
 - Accessible Playground at Coes Knife Factory Property
 - Coes Pond Mill Street Beach Upgrade
 - Summer Jobs for Worcester Youth
 - Lights at Crystal Park Repaired
 - Petitions –
 - NA
 - ALB - NA
 - Forestry Operations – NA
 - Budget Update – Operational & Capital
 - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division - Update
 - Summer Youth Employment Program – Update
 - Wheels to Water - NA
 - Holiday Tree – NA
 - 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
 - Ski Program Article
 - Playground Article
 - Winter takes a Toll
 - City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Sub Committee
 - Meeting on 2-26-14 – Dog Park
- Golf Course:
 - Request of Frederick Gay to speak to the Sub Committee

- Golf Course Donations
 - Golf Course Caddy Program
- Tabled Items: -
 - Smoking in Public Parks – City of Boston Policy

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