



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

Thursday August 30, 2012 – 6:00 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 April 26, 2012, May 24, 2012, June 21, 2012, July 9, 2012 & July 16, 2012
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
 - October 4, 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. Referral to Golf Course Subcommittee: None
4. General:
 - Request of Worcester Historical Museum to allow alcohol beverages at the 2012 Annual Harvey Ball Smile Award
 - Request of Aids Project Worcester to allow alcohol beverages at the 2012 Pride Celebration Block Party
 - Park Concessions - NA
 - Grant Applications –
 - Grant for Elm Park and Green Hill Park
 - Park Vandalism & Graffiti
 - NA
 - Donations
 - Worcester County Senior Athletic Association
 - Memorial Bench for University Park
 - New England Summer Nationals
 - Green Island Resident Group, Inc.

- Capital Improvement Programs
 - Worcester Common Master Plan Implementation – Update
 - City Hall Plaza Renovations
 - Aquatic Master Plan – Update
 - Demolition of remaining seven pools
 - Design of East Park Aquatic Facility
 - Institute Park – Update
 - Green Hill Park Renovation – Update
 - Vietnam Veterans Memorial - Update
 - Elm Park – Task Force & Update
 - Fire Alarm & Telegraph Building - Update
 - Logan Field – Update (Skate Park & Construction)
 - Rockwood Field - NA
 - Vernon Hill – Update
 - Newton Hill – NA
 - East Park – NA
 - Knights of Columbus – Update
 - University Park – Update
 - Crompton Park – NA
 - Cookson Park – NA
 - Blackstone Gateway Park – NA
 - Greenwood Park – Update
 - Bell Pond - Update
 - Park Renovation Funding – Update
- Community Development Block Grant - Update
- Art-in-the-Park – NA
- Dog Park, Licensing & Control of Dogs – NA
- Misc items:
 - Keep Worcester Clean
 - May 2012 & June 2012
 - City Council Orders
 - ALB Request
 - Dodge Park
 - Petitions
 - Tree Planting
 - ALB Update
 - Forestry Operations – Update
 - Worcester Named Tree City USA for 2011
 - Budget Update – Operational & Capital
 - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division
 - Golf Course
 - Summer Youth Employment Program – Update
 - Wheels to Water - Update
 - Holiday Tree – Festival of Lights November 30, 2012
 - Waterfowl in Park – NA
 - Out-to-Lunch – Update
 - Trash – NA
 - ESCo - NA
 - City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Committee
 - NA
- Golf Course:
 - Danny Rossetti Junior Golf Camp
 - Senior Event
- Golf Course Donations
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- Tabled Items:
 - Smoking in Public Parks

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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

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