



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

Thursday April 11, 2013 – 7:00 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 March 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
7. Date of Next Meeting:
 - May 2, 2013
 - May 23, 2013
 - June 8, 2013 (New Meeting Date for OSRP)
 - June 20, 2013
8. Meeting Adjourned

ASSISTANT 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 Hope Afric Organization to host an event at Green Hill Park
 - Request of Ghost Light Players to host an event at East Park or Green Hill Park
 - Worcester Common Ice Skating Rink - Update
 - Park Concessions - NA
 - Grant Applications – Update
 - Grant for Elm Park
 - Park Vandalism & Graffiti - NA
 - Donations
 - NA
 - Capital Improvement Programs
 - Worcester Common Master Plan Implementation – Update
 - City Hall Plaza Renovations
 - Front & Sides of City Hall
 - Aquatic Master Plan – Update
 - East Park Aquatic Facility
 - Institute Park – Update
 - Restroom Facility & Gazebo

- Green Hill Park Renovation – Update
 - Vietnam Veterans Memorial
 - Green Hill Farm
- Elm Park – Task Force & Update
 - Fire Alarm & Telegraph Building
- Logan Field – Update (Construction)
- Holmes Field - Update
- Greenwood Park - Update
- Rockwood Field – NA
- Vernon Hill – NA
- Newton Hill – Monument Folder
- 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
- North Lake Ave Linear Park - Update
- Community Development Block Grant - Update
- Art-in-the-Park – NA
- Dog Park, Licensing & Control of Dogs – Update
- Misc items:
 - Keep Worcester Clean
 - NA
 - City Council Orders
 - Lincoln Square Flag Pole
 - Summer Jobs
 - Events in City Hall
 - Petitions –
 - Tree Planting Request
 - ALB Update
 - Forestry Operations – NA
 - Budget Update – Operational & Capital
 - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division
 - Golf Course
 - Summer Youth Employment Program – Grant
 - Wheels to Water - NA
 - Holiday Tree – NA
 - Waterfowl in Park – NA
 - Out-to-Lunch – NA
 - Trash – NA
 - ESCo – NA
 - Park Permits – Update
 - Access/ ADA - NA
 - Misc Information – Update
 - Burncoat Park Article
 - Food Truck Article
 - Field Article
 - City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Sub Committee
 - Response to Sub Committee Questions
- Golf Course:
 - NA
- Golf Course Donations
 - NA
- Tabled Items:
 - Smoking in Public Parks

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