

## 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 25, 2019 – 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 February 28, 2019 & March 28, 2019
- 3. Committee Reports

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

- Commissioners Report (See Report Topics Below)
- 5. Old Business
- 6. New Business NA
- 7. Date of Next Meeting:
  - May 30, 2019
  - June 27, 2019
  - September 5, 2019
  - September 26, 2019
  - October 24, 2019
  - November 21, 2019
  - December 19, 2019
  - January 9, 2020
  - January 30, 2020 (Sports & Events Permit Meeting)
  - February 27, 2020
  - March 26, 2020
  - April 30, 2020
  - May 14, 2020
  - June 18, 2020
- 8. Meeting Adjourned

#### **ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:**

1. Referral to Policy Subcommittee: Alcoholic Beverage Policy

2. <u>Referral to Naming/ Land Usage Subcommittee</u>: NA

3. Referral to Golf Course Subcommittee: NA

4. General:

- Request of the Worcester Renegades to speak on repairs at Beaver Brook Park
- Capital Improvement Plan FY 2020
- Grant Applications
  - o Land & Water Conservation Fund Grant Hadwen Park Awarded
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  - o Land & Water Conservation Fund Grant Columbus Park
  - PARC & LAND Grant Program SW Playground Awarded
  - o PARC & LAND Grant Program Crompton Park Awarded

- Economic Development Initiatives
  - o NA
- Cultural Events-
  - NA NA
- Park Vandalism & Graffiti NA
- Donations –
- o NA
- Capital Improvement Programs
  - o Apricot Street Playground NA
  - o Ball Property NA
  - o Banis Street Playground NA
  - Beaver Brook Park NA
  - o Bell Pond NA
  - o Bennett Field NA
  - o Betty Price Playground Update
  - o Blackstone Gateway Park NA
  - o Blithwood Park Update
  - o Boynton Park NA
  - o Burncoat Park NA
  - o Burncoat Playground NA
  - o Cascades Park NA
  - o Castle Park NA
  - o Common Master Plan Implementation NA
  - o Coes Park (Knife) Update
    - Stearns Tavern
    - Playground
  - o Coes Pond NA
  - o Columbus Park NA
  - o Cookson Park NA
  - o Cristoforo Columbo (East Park) Update
  - $\circ \quad Crompton \ Park-NA$
  - o Dodge Park NA
  - o Elm Park NA
    - Newton Hill NA
  - o Fairmont Park NA
  - o Farber Field Update
  - o Grant Square NA
  - o Great Brook Valley Playground NA
  - o Green Hill Park Renovation Update
    - Green Hill Farm
    - Community Gardens
    - WWI
  - o Greenwood Park NA
  - o Hadwen Park Update
  - o Harrington Field NA
  - o Harry Sherry Field (S. Worcester) Update
  - Holland Rink NA
  - o Holmes Field Update
  - o Indian Hill Park NA
  - o Indian Lake Beach NA
  - o Institute Park Update
    - Walkway Design
      - Salisbury Pond
  - o Kendrick Field NA
  - Knights of Columbus NA
  - o Korean War Memorial NA
  - o Lake Park NA
  - o Lake Park State NA
  - b Lake View Playground NA
  - o Logan Field NA
  - o Morgan Landing NA
  - o Mulcahy Field Update
  - o Oakland Heights Playground NA

- o Providence Street Playground Update
- o Ramshorn Island NA
- o Rockwood Field NA
- o Salisbury Park (Bancroft Tower) NA
- o Shale Street Playground NA
- o Shore Park NA
- o Spillane Field NA
- o Tacoma Street Playground NA
- o TY Cobb NA
- o University Park NA
- o Vernon Hill NA
- o Wetherall Estates (Duffy Field) NA
- o 149 West Boylston Drive NA
- o Winslow & Pleasant NA
- o Aquatic Master Plan NA
- o Open Space and Recreation Plan NA
- o North Lake Ave Linear Park NA
- Community Development Block Grant NA
- Art-in-the-Park NA
- Dog Park, Licensing & Control of Dogs NA
- Rectangular Field Development NA
- Park Monument Review NA
- Misc. items:
- o Keep Worcester Clean -
  - NA
- o City Council Orders -
  - Lake View Playground Improvements
  - Coes Park Stearns Tavern
  - Great Brook Valley Rectangular Field
  - Water Service Request Memorial
  - Burnside Fountain
  - Burncoat Triangle Tree Planting
- o Petitions -
  - NA
- Forestry Operations NA
  - ALB (Asian Longhorned Beetle)
  - EAB (Emerald Ash Borer)
  - Arbor Day April 26, 2019 between 10:00 am 12:00 noon
- o Budget Operational & Capital Update
  - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division Update
  - Capital Improvement Program Update
  - City Five Point Financial Plan NA
  - City Auditor Communications NA
- Summer Youth Employment Program Update
- Aquatics Update
  - Christian's Law NA
- o Recreation Worcester NA
- o Holiday Tree NA
- o Worcester Common Ice Skating Rink NA
- Waterfowl in Park NA
- o Out-to-Lunch NA
- o Trash NA
- o ESCo-NA
- Park Permits
  - See Above
- o Access/ ADA NA
- o Mobile Concession/ Food Truck NA
- o ATV Recreational Vehicle NA
- o Veterans Memorials NA
- Misc Information
  - Article on WWII Memorial
  - Article on Worcester FY 2020 Capital Improvement Plan

- City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Sub Committee
  - o Monday April 22, 2019 Agenda
- Golf Course:
  - o Request of Holy Name High School to allow golf team to use Green Hill Golf Course for practice & matches at course youth rates
  - Green Hill Golf Course request to solicit bids for up to six years for Golf Carts and maintenance.
- Golf Course Donations:
  - o NA

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