

MINUTES
ASHLAND PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION
Recreation Division Advisory Committee (RDAC)
December 16, 2021, 4:00 p.m.
Zoom

Present: Committee Members: Commissioner Lewis, Commissioner Eldridge, Rogers, Grimm, Buck, Bjornson
APRC Staff: Deputy Director Dials, Assistant Fasnacht NMP (North Mountain Park) Manager VanWyhe, Recreation Manager Flora
Absent: Committee Members Downs, Rose, Rogers, APRC Staff Fasnacht

CALL TO ORDER

Grimm called the meeting to order at 4:01p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Member Buck moved for approval, Commissioner Eldridge seconded and all in favor.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None

BUSINESS

Recreation Division Updates (Dials, Managers Flora, VanWhye)

Dials gives updates for the grove hours including staffing for January and February. NMP Nature Center remains closed until after the new year and staffing is reviewed. Dials reports on meeting held with volunteer coordinator and RVTD for local bike program for the community. Silent Disco will be changing leadership. Dials updates on current cold weather shelter provided through APRC.

Flora gives update for the Ashland Rotary Centennial Ice rink including revenue, programs and attendance. Program guide will be sent out to the community and registration has opened for upcoming classes.

VanWhye gives updates for Nature Center. Currently working on blackberry treatment control with Fresh Water. Volunteer work parties currently occurring monthly moving to more frequent meetings after the new year.

Working Group Updates

Chair Grimm reports on working groups and the progress made. Committee reviews goals and write ups made by VanWhye. Scheduled for the next meeting is discussed.

Recruitment for RDAS members

Dials updates committee about new recruitment and asks RDAC member to share with the community, also brainstorm with member to find new member.

Other Items

Commissioner Eldridge updates committee on progress for the Trailer Masterplan Subcommittee.

SET NEXT MEETING DATE / TIME / PLACE

The next meeting will be held on February 17, 4p.m. Location: *Zoom*

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:09p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Haley Fasnacht
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