

Indianola Park and Recreation Commission

Meeting Minutes

The Indianola Parks and Recreation Commission held a meeting on Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at 5:00 pm at the Indianola Activity Center. Those present were:

Drew Brazie
Chris Goodale
Kerry Koonce
Kathy Turnball
Kate Walton

Also present were:
Doug Bylund

Public Consideration/Correspondence

Consent Items

The consent agenda consisting of the following was approved on a motion by Turnball and seconded by Hoger, unanimous approval.

Approve Agenda
December 11, 2019 Minutes

Support Group Reports

Tree Committee:

Indianola Park Friends: The annual membership letter is being prepared. Planning is underway for the Saturday Skating Spree and Plant Sale Early Admission. Park Friends is evaluating potential projects to fund for the future.

Friends of Indianola Trails:

Department Heads Reports

Director:

- The draft of the department operational budget was presented. The City Council will be approving the final budget on March 25, 2020.

- The City Council is working to adjust the terms of several Boards and Commissions to coincide with the City's Fiscal Year. The Parks and Recreation Commission terms will now end on June 30.
- A motion was made by Walton with a 2nd by Koonce to appoint the following officers of the Parks and Recreation Commission: Chair – Joel Hoger, Vice Chair – Drew Brazie. Motion carried unanimously.

Recreation:

Parks:

- The ash tree removal project continues. There are trees to be removed at Memorial Park, East Park and the Willow Creek Totlot. The Parks Department is now taking the lead in evaluating and maintaining or removing street trees. Several have been removed as residents report issues or city staff discover problem trees.
- The Ice Rink has not frozen solid yet. Staff continues to monitor daily and will notify the public as soon as the conditions are favorable and safe for ice skating.

Commission Member Comments, Reports

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be Wednesday, February 12, 2020 at the Indianola Activity Center at 5:00 pm.

It was moved by Koonce and seconded by Turnball to adjourn at 5:35 pm.