



PARKS, FORESTRY & RECREATION COMMITTEE

Monday, April 18, 2022, 7:00 PM

Meeting will be held in person.
Council Chambers, Floor 2, City Hall
75 N Bonson Street, Platteville, WI

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. Citizen Comments
- III. Approval of Minutes: March 21, 2022
- IV. Staff Update
 - a. Tree City USA 2021
 - b. Robert Anderson Art project in Legion
 - c. Mound View update
 - i. May 6
 - d. Platteville Family Aquatic Center
 - e. July 4th Event
 - f. Moundview Campground
 - g. Skills at the Skatepark day
 - i. June 4
 - h. Events and Rec program Coordinator updates
 - i. Sidewalk map update
- V. New Business
 - a. Platteville Community Gravel Nursery
 - b. Arbor Day
 - c. Playground equipment relocation
 - i. Which Equipment to be moved
Possible site relocations.
- VI. May 16, 2022, meeting date
- VII. Adjournment

****Masks are optional in Municipal Building****

If attendance requires special accommodation, please contact (608) 348-9741, ext. 2238

PARKS, FORESTRY, & RECREATION COMMITTEE Minutes

Date 3-21-22

The regular meeting of the Platteville Parks, Forestry, and Recreation Committee of the City of Platteville was called to order by Jason Artz at 7:00 p.m. in the North Conference Room.

ROLL CALL

Present: Jason Artz, Don Francis, Erin Ihm, Suraya Strobl, Cindy Tang,

Victoria Hundhausen, Brian Whisenant

Staff in Attendance: Adam Ruechel, Robert Lowe, Adam Bartels

Members of the Public:

Tammy Enz, Bob Hundhausen, Kim Zielinski, Morgan Arnold, Christina Burr

CITIZEN COMMENTS:

Tammy Enz from the Main Street organization made a presentation of the art that Robert Anderson would like to design and donate to the City. She presented picture and the preferred location for the piece in City Park. The Committee unanimously agreed it would be a great addition to the park and motion for City Staff to move forward on arranging for the art to be added. Motion is listed in new business.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: A motion was made by Suraya Strobl to approve the minutes from date 2-21-22, seconded by Brian Whisenant Motion carried.

STAFF UPDATE:

- a. City Manager Adam Ruechel provide financial updates for Broske Center.
- b. Parks and Recreation Director provided updates
 - a. to "passion for each Park"
 - i. West View frisbee golf
 - ii. Skate Park
 - iii. Valley View potentials use
- c. PYDS netting for Woodward update
- d. Future Events progress
 - a. 4th July fireworks will be put on by 4th July committee. With help of logistics by City Staff
 - b. Chalk and Cheese will continue in August
- e. **Recreation Programs –**

Events Coordinator Adam Bartels gave an update on all the programs. Many spots have filled quickly for some of the programs offered and the staff has expanded some of those programs, tball and intro to sports, pending the ability to hire additional attendants for those programs.

NEW BUSINESS

- a. Platteville Inclusive Playground (PIP)

Christina Burr presented the designs submitted by five different companies for the playground. Those included Burke, Lee, Park Planet, Commercial Playground, and Gerber Leisure. Each company had unique and quality plans but it was clear that Lee Company was the best option. With almost all of the equipment being made right here in Wisconsin and having previously done quality work for the city the committee agreed with PIP this was the best choice.

: A motion was made by Erin Ihm to recommend accepting Lee Companies design and primary contractor for the new Platteville inclusive playground, seconded by Brian Whisenant Motion carried unanimously.

- b. The committee acted on the presentation presented by Tammy Enz by; a motion by Erin Ihm and second by Brian Whisenant, for Staff to proceed with accepting and installing the art to be donated Robert Anderson for City Park. Motion carried unanimously.
- c. MoundView Campground.
Update by Staff including all work that has been doing to add the five additional sites including; electric service, water, pads for campers, online registration, and new locks for the shower doors.
Staff recommended that the fee structure be changed from \$15/site with an option of \$10/site additional for electric to a flat fee of \$25/day. A motion was made by Cindy Tang and second by Brian Whisenant to change the fee to \$25/day. Motion carried unanimously.

NEXT MEETING – Monday, _____ April 18th, 2022___ 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall.

Motion to adjourn by Suraya Strobl, seconded by Brian Whisenant. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 8:34 pm

Minutes by Robert Lowe

**THE CITY OF PLATTEVILLE, WISCONSIN
PFRC SUMMARY SHEET**

**PFRC SECTION:
ITEM NUMBER:**

**TITLE: Staff Notes for Parks, Forestry, and Recreation
Committee Meeting**

**DATE
April 18, 2022
VOTE REQUIRED:**

PREPARED BY: Robert Lowe, Parks Director & Adam Bartels, Recreation Coordinator

Staff Update

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 - j. Sidewalk and trail update
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Next Meeting Date

Establish if quorum can be achieved for next meeting Monday, May 16, 2022, at 7pm in the Council Chambers.