

**PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION  
REGULAR MEETING**

WEDNESDAY, August 25, 2021

7:00 p.m.

Collamer Park

**CALL TO ORDER:** Chairman Workman called the meeting to order at 7:19 p.m.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Was recited

**ROLL CALL:** Was taken by Amy Fuller

***MEMBERS PRESENT:*** Chairman Andrew Workman, Vice-Chair Jeff Selbig, Commissioner Carol Anne Smith, and Commissioner Kevin Maginity

***MEMBERS ABSENT:*** Commissioner Elaine Greenway

***OTHERS PRESENT:*** Amy Fuller

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** **COMMISSIONER SELBIG MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE AGENDA FOR, AUGUST 25, 2021. MOTION SUPPORTED BY VICE-CHAIR MAGINITY. AYES ALL, MOTION CARRIED.**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** **COMMISSIONER SELBIG MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES FOR JULY 28, 2021 WITH NO CHANGES. MOTION SUPPORTED BY COMMISSIONER SMITH. AYES ALL, MOTION CARRIED.**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

Bob Flynn: Mr. Flynn would like to see the stop signs removed from the decking on Oakwood Bridge and replaced with wood. Mr. Flynn also requested signage for the bicycle route from Williams Street (James Minor Trail) to Green Meadows (Harmon Patridge Park).

**COMMUNICATIONS:** Ms. Fuller shared communication from Public Safety and DPW about swings needing replaced at Adams Park and Bentley Park.

**OLD BUSINESS REPORT FROM CITY LIAISON:** Bylaw amendments were approved by council. Fall fish stocking season is approaching, Ms. Fuller will try again to purchase fish. The contractor for the tennis courts at Bentley Park is scheduled to begin work in 2 weeks. The downtown kayak landing is waiting on the EGLE permit, due to the permit being delayed it will be done in 2 phases. The ramp will be installed in October and the stairs in spring.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Hopkins Lake Trails: Rick Morris presented an option for adding a new 1.5 mile trail on the west side of Collamer Park.

Collamer Park Playground: The evening Kiwanis have donated \$10,000 for play equipment at Collamer Park. The Commission discussed what equipment would be ordered and requested Ms. Fuller to get quotes for equipment.

Purchasing two sets of concrete cornhole boards was discussed

The Commission will cancel the November 24th meeting and move the December meeting to Wednesday, December 8, 2021. **COMMISSIONER MAGINITY MADE A MOTION. MOTION SUPPORTED BY COMMISSIONER SMITH. AYES ALL, MOTION CARRIED**

Next Meeting: September 29, 2021 at 7:00 PM at Harmon Patridge Park

Public/Commissioners Comments: Commissioner Smith suggested holding an event at the old skate park, letting the community help paint the skate equipment.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

**COMMISSIONER SELBIG MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN AT 8:31 P.M. MOTION SUPPORTED BY COMMISSIONER SMITH. AYES ALL, MOTION CARRIED.**

**Respectfully submitted by:  
Amy Fuller, Assistant to the City Manager**