



Parks and Recreation Committee Minutes

Thursday, August 5, 2021

4:00 PM

Virtual Meeting

Members:	Present:	Absent:	Commence: 4:00 PM	Adjourn: 5:01 PM
Clyde Hill, Chair	x			
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Stanley Tombs	x			

Other City Council Members Present: Deputy Mayor Peter Kwon

Staff Present: Lawrence Ellis, Parks, Community Programs & Services Director; Gwen Rathe, Administrative Assistant III; Mike Fitzpatrick, Parks Projects & Operations Manager; Gwen Voelpel, Deputy City Manager

1. Call to Order	Meeting was called to order at 4:00 PM by Councilmember Clyde Hill.
2. Approval of Minutes	Minutes from the June 3, 2021, meeting were approved as written.
3. Public Comment	Lisa Corbin of Seattle Sports Complex Foundation spoke of the need for an indoor tennis facility in the SeaTac area. She thinks the Sunset Park property would be a good location. Approximately four acres are needed. Councilmember Hill asked what the demand is by SeaTac residents. Recommended to continue conversation with City staff.

<p>4. Renaming Des Moines Creek Park to include SeaTac</p>	<p>Lawrence Ellis explained that a Council Request Form (CRF) was submitted by Councilmember Hill to look into changing the name of Des Moines Creek Park to include “SeaTac” in the name. His request was referred to this Committee for review by City Council.</p> <p>Councilmember Hill said he would like “SeaTac” to be in the name in order to give recognition to the taxpayers for developing and financially supporting the park.</p> <p>The Committee unanimously support a name change and will follow the procedure as outlined in the Resolution regarding naming/renaming City parks and facilities.</p> <p>Lawrence stated that he will consult with the Legal Department on the next steps and report back to the Committee.</p>
<p>5. Sunset Park Update</p>	<p>Mike Fitzpatrick gave an update on cleanup of contaminated soil at Sunset Park. King County provided signs that have been posted regarding the contaminated soil and hygiene suggestions after coming in contact with the soil. There is a QR code on the sign that translates the information into three additional languages. Councilmember Hill requested adding additional languages including an Asian language. Mike with talk to Communications Manager Kyle Moore about this.</p> <p>King County anticipates being out to bid for the cleanup work in September and the contract award in November 2021. Work would start in spring 2022 with estimated completion in August 2022.</p>
<p>6. Accepting King County Youth & Amateur Sports Grant funding for constructing a pump track</p>	<p>Mike Fitzpatrick explained that the City applied for this King County Youth & Amateur Sports Grant in March and was recently notified of the successful award of \$250K for construction of a pump track. The grant award goes to the City Council on August 10 for acceptance.</p> <p>The Committee members expressed their appreciation to staff for being successful with grants to help fund projects.</p>
<p>7. Director’s Update</p>	<p>Lawrence Ellis gave an informational update:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fall programming – Recreation staff will continue to bring creative programs for fall. We will be offering the after-school program and teen program with reduced capacity for safety. Fall special events will include a Halloween/harvest event and the Holiday Bazaar. The Recreation & Services Guide for fall will be mailed around September 20.• North SeaTac Park soccer field track repair – The contractor is waiting for materials to repair the track around the soccer fields. We anticipate the repairs taking place in August. Final

	<p>acceptance won't be requested until this work has been completed.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sunset tennis court resurfacing – Lawrence explained that the tennis court resurfacing work has been postponed until after the soil cleanup at Sunset Park. Due to the current poor condition of the court surface, the courts have been locked.• Hydroplane races at Angle Lake Park – Currently receiving comments from the Notice of Application that was mailed to residents surrounding Angle Lake.• Security in parks – We are looking at adding high-definition security cameras in Angle Lake, North SeaTac, Valley Ridge and Grandview parks. We are also improving lighting in North SeaTac Park pathway and parking lots by converting to LED.
8. Good of the Order	None.
9. Adjourn	The meeting was adjourned at 5:01 PM.