



# Parks and Recreation Committee Minutes

Thursday, October 6, 2022

4:00 PM

\*Hybrid Meeting\*  
City Council Chambers

Members: Present: Absent: Commence: 4:00 PM  
Adjourn: 5:25 PM

Iris Guzmán, Chair x  
Mohamed Egal x  
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Other City Council Members Present:

Staff Present: Lawrence Ellis, Parks, Community Programs & Services Director; Gwen Rathe, Administrative Assistant III; Mike Fitzpatrick, Parks Projects & Operations Manager; Kim Cooper, Human Services Coordinator; Cindy Corsilles, Senior Assistant City Attorney; Gwen Voelpel, Deputy City Manager; Carl Cole, City Manager; Evan Maxim, Community & Economic Development Director

1. Call to Order	Meeting was called to order at 4:25 PM by Councilmember Iris Guzmán.
2. Approval of Minutes	Minutes from the September 1, 2022, meeting were approved as written.
3. Public Comment	None
4. African Community Housing & Development – Rental assistance update utilizing HB1406 funding	Bree Nicoletto and Hamdi Abdulle, Executive Director from African Community Housing & Development gave an update on the rental assistance funding. Their primary focus is on families and elderly who are within two months of falling behind in rent, who reside in single family homes, Pine Ridge, Hunt Club, or Shannon South Apartments. They currently have a wait list of nearly 100 people in SeaTac who need to be served. They have served 31 households with \$75,000 of

	<p>funds. The demographics of their clients are very diverse and all people are served.</p>
<p>5. Multi-Service Center – Rental assistance update utilizing HB1406 funding</p>	<p>Maju Qureshi, Economic Stability Director from Multi-Service Center gave an overall perspective of services they provide. The HB1406 funds have been used to assist referrals from City of SeaTac, Highline Public Schools, and Bow Lake Mobile Home Park. They have served five SeaTac residents and five additional applications are pending but didn't state the current expenditure of the budgeted funding. They still have funds remaining and plan to continue to accept referrals.</p>
<p>6. Purchase of playground equipment for the Neighborhood Park at SeaTac Community Center</p>	<p>The purpose of this presentation is to request a recommendation from the Parks and Recreation Committee to City Council Consent Agenda to authorize a purchase order executed with King County Directors Association (KCDA) for playground equipment replacement at the SeaTac Community Center.</p> <p>Mike Fitzpatrick provided a presentation showing the proposed project, equipment selection process, and timeline.</p> <p>The Committee unanimously recommend the purchase of playground equipment for the neighborhood park move forward to Consent Agenda.</p>
<p>7. Defending SeaTac's trees &amp; community health and equity</p>	<p>This item will be moved to the November agenda due to time constraint.</p>
<p>8. Directors Update</p>	<p>Lawrence Ellis gave an informational update:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Photography Exhibit is currently being held thru October 27 at SeaTac Community Center. There are 38 entries. A reception is being held on October 19, 6 PM.</li> <li>• Community Meeting – Angle Lake Park Fishing Pier &amp; Boat Ramp, this Saturday, 11:00 AM @ Angle Lake Park.</li> <li>• The Great Pumpkin Night – Friday, October 14, 6:00-9:00 PM @ SeaTac Community Center. (Cake walk, crafts, bounce houses, and goodie bags.) Costumes are encouraged and activities are free.</li> <li>• Community Meeting – SeaTac Des Moines Creek Park Expansion. Wednesday, October 26, 6:00 PM @ Valley Ridge Community Center</li> <li>• SeaTac Resource Fair – Thursday, November 3, 2:00-7:00 PM @ SeaTac Community Center, there is currently 12 table to provide information.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Community Services Advisory Committee has reviewed 66 applications for human services funding. The Committee is recommending funding 41 of them.</li></ul>
9. Adjourn	The meeting was adjourned at 5:25 PM.