City of Lake Forest Park

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

Regular Meeting Summary

March 22, 2023

CALL TO ORDER: 7:07 P.M.

PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Tyler Dittman, Amy Hanegan, Richie Allen, Josh Rosenau

STAFF AND OTHERS PRESENT:

Cory Roche – Environmental & Sustainability Specialist

Councilmember Lorri Bodi

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PRESENT:

None

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Park Board did an introduction round robin.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Josh motioned to approve the agenda, Richie seconded the motion to approve, the agenda was approved unanimously.

REVIEW/APPROVE MEETING MINUTES

Amy motioned to approve the February Meeting Minutes, Josh seconded the motion to approve, meeting minutes approved unanimously with one correction of updating the correct Park Board attendance.

OLD BUSINESS

A. 2023 Work Plan - Finalize for Adoption

Park Board went through the work plan items and what involvement is needed for the year. Councilmember Bodi stated that this does reflect previous conversations of work plan items, would be good to go ahead and approve and present to Council next.

Amy moved to approve the 2023 Work Plan, Richie second, the 2023 Work Plan was approved unanimously.

B. Yoga in the Parks Updates

Cory gave an update on waiver, to simplify the process. Program will start mid-summer and go through early August.

C. Summer Events Schedule

Cory gave an update on scheduled summer event dates. Amy brought up there should be a dog event, Cory said the City will be trying to bring this back this summer if time and funding allows. Amy also noted there are a substantial number of elderly residents, would love to think of something that could appeal to the senior citizens. Richie mentioned they could go to Senior Center for more information as she knows they have bingo socials and activities for our seniors. Richie also mentioned it would be great to get young kids events in our parks with possible ShoreLake arts involvement like music lessons in the parks.

Councilmember Bodi also stated this discussion will be something to think about for future programing at the Lakefront Park as the planning gets going.

D. Walking Route Project

Tyler put together some walking routes. The Board brainstormed some ideas on how the walk could go and other possible routes.

E. Other

Cory Gave update on Lakefront Property and Aquatics Study, process of obtaining consultants is on its way.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

None.

ADJOURN: 8:10 PM