

PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

Item 2 March 3, 2022 Regular Business

AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION

TITLE:	King County Library System Mercer Island Branch- Annual Update	☑ Discussion Only☐ Action Needed:
RECOMMENDED ACTION:	Receive presentation and engage KCLS staff	☐ Motion☐ Ordinance☐ Resolution
STAFF:	Ryan Daly, Recreation Manager / KCLS Staff	
COUNCIL LIAISON:	Craig Reynolds	
EXHIBITS:	1. KCLS Intro Memo	

SUMMARY

Background

The purpose of the Parks & Recreation Commission is to serve in a policy advisory capacity to the City Council and any other board or commission of the city on matters involving the Mercer Island parks system, recreation programming, and the Mercer Island Community & Event Center.

Additionally, pursuant to MICC 3.53.020 and included in the various duties and responsibilities of the Parks & Recreation Commission is to "provide a forum for the community to express their views regarding library services on Mercer Island and serve in an advisory capacity to the King County Library System."

Presentation

Tonight, Executive Director Lisa Rosenblum of the King County Library System (KCLS) and staff will provide the Commission with a presentation on current library services and plans for 2022. Attached as Exhibit 1 is a memo from KCLS regarding the contents and format of the presentation.

This initial presentation is designed to provide information on the status of the KCLS Mercer Island Branch services so that the Commission may effectively engage and provide the community a forum for input.

RECOMMENDATION

1. Receive presentation and engage KCLS staff.