CITY OF NEW MEADOWS PARKS AND RECREATION MEETING MINUTES HELD MONDAY, MAY 5, 2025 AT 6:00 P.M. CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 401 VIRGINIA STREET, NEW MEADOWS

Roll Call / Pledge of Allegiance

Present were Parks Members Jim Slettum, Joe Sullivan and Angie Mettie.

Mayor Julie Good was present.

Public present was Linnea Hall.

Mayor Good opened the meeting at 6:00 P.M.

Discussion Items

<u>Baseball</u>

A field prep work day occurred May 3rd at 9:00am. Mayor Good stated that the city could weedeat under the bleachers. Otherwise, weeds were pulled and the fields raked.

Hello Summer Event

This event will be an open house for the early childhood learning center.

Farmers Market

Mayor Good stated that the Farmers Market members will have a meeting that will determine when the Farmers Market will open this summer. After the dates are determined, Parks and Rec can decide when they would like to attend. Ideas for the market included a bike maintenance station and/or field games.

Music in the Park Event

Committee Member Sullivan will talk with The Intersection about having an Open Mic night. It might be held from 6:00-8:00pm. Another idea would be to hold the event at the park.

Future Fundraisers

Fundraising ideas included raffling off a basket of donated items or a fun run.

Bike-A-Thon

The Bike-A-Thon is scheduled for September. It was suggested that the starting point be the Depot this year, and the freight room could be utilized if needed. YAC has stated that they would be interested in donating bikes for the event, and Brundage may be interested in attending to share about bike safety.

Calendar Dates for Remainder of 2025

The Trunk or Treat event was scheduled for October 31st from 1-3pm. The Community Christmas event was scheduled for December 7th.

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Future Meeting Topics

Future meeting topics included park improvements, bike repair information, baseball update, music in the park event, farmers market dates, Bike-A-Thon, and mural update.

Action Items

Members reviewed April 7, 2025 meeting minutes and found no changes.

 Parks Member Sullivan moved to approve the April 7, 2025 meeting minutes; Parks Member Mettie seconded the motion. Voice Vote indicated no opposition to the motion with all members signifying yes. Motion carried.

Parks Improvement Proposal

Members reviewed the proposal to utilize the kiosk in the park.

 Parks Member Mettie moved to approve the proposal to utilize the kiosk in the park, and send it to the City Council for review; Parks Member Sullivan seconded the motion. Voice Vote indicated no opposition to the motion with all members signifying yes. Motion carried.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 6:51 P.M.

ATTEST:

Angie Mettie, Parks & Rec

Kyla Gardner, City Clerk