

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

ROSSFORD PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE (FOR 6/10/19)

In Attendance: Toby Ledesma, Larry Oberdorf, Caroline Zuchowski-Eckel,
Dawn Burks, Jim Youngs, Will Youngs

I. Meeting called to order at 6:00 PM.

- Island View Park Eagle Scout Project
 - Will Youngs presented information about his eagle scout project to install a guard rail at Island View park where the trail goes by the river. They will install posts and connect them with rope which will be ADA compliant. They hope to have the project done before the fall season.
- Capital Improvements
 - The recreation center will be installing a new rooftop unit over the locker room area in the next few weeks and having the outside of the building and track walls brushed and painted in the next month.
- 2019 November Capital Improvements Levy
 - Mr. Ledesma gave an update on total number of members within the rec database (901 total, 662 resident). The department is also finalizing a 5 year capital improvements budget. Some items being researched are:
 - New restroom/concession facility at Vets Park
 - Renovations to the breezeway at the Recreation Center
 - LED lighting at the Recreation Center
 - Renovations to the Recreation Center parking lot
 - Updating playground equipment and facilities at Island View, Beech street park, the tot lot parks, and Vets Park
 - Updating facility equipment at the Recreation Center
- Vets Park Basketball Courts
 - The recreation department has installed a tennis net on one of the courts since early May. They are also looking at adding some programming in late summer/early fall.
 - The board discussed the possibility of adding a sound barrier around a portion of the courts with trees or tarp, but decided against it as it would hinder officers from seeing in the courts on patrol.
- Tot Lot Platform Replacement
 - There are some platforms on the tot lots that need replaced. Mr. Ledesma showed a quote to replace these pieces. This project will require a budget adjustment for 2019, but funds are available within the capital improvement fund.

- ReNew Active Program
 - The recreation department was approached by ReNew Active to become a part of their program. ReNew Active is similar to silver sneakers where its members would be able to utilize the facility at no cost to them, and the facility would be compensated by the healthcare provider. The recreation center would be able to collect \$3.20 per visit per person up to 10 visits per month. All members would sign in at the front desk before utilizing the facility

- Veterans Park Inclusive Playground
 - The new inclusive playground equipment is installed and had its grand opening planned for noon on 6/11. The playground equipment has workouts for kids of all ages and abilities. Also, the playground will be listed on the GameTime recreation site as a national demonstration site.

II. Meeting Adjourned at 6:45PM