



THE CITY OF WORCESTER
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND PARKS
PARKS, RECREATION, & CEMETERY DIVISION
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PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING

Thursday October 25, 2012 – 7:00 P.M.
Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Administrative Office
Meeting Room A
50 Skyline Drive, Worcester, MA 01605

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Acceptance of Minutes for the April 26, 2012, May 24, 2012, June 21, 2012, July 9, 2012, July 16, 2012 & August 30, 2012, October 4, 2012
3. Committee Reports
 - Golf Course Subcommittee – None
 - Policy Subcommittee – None
 - Naming & Land Use Subcommittee - None
4. Commissioners Report (See Report Topics Below)
5. Old Business
6. New Business
7. Date of Next Meeting
 - November 15, 2012
 - December 20, 2012
 - January 17, 2013
 - February 7, 2013
 - February 28, 2013
 - March 21, 2013
 - April 11, 2013
 - May 2, 2013
 - May 23, 2013
 - June 20, 2013
8. Meeting Adjourned

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

1. Referral to Policy Subcommittee: None
2. Referral to Naming/ Land Usage Subcommittee: None
3. Referral to Golf Course Subcommittee: None
4. General:
 - Worcester Common Ice Skating Rules & Regulations
 - Program Articles
 - New Vandalism Law in Massachusetts
 - Park Concessions - NA
 - Grant Applications –
 - Grant for Elm Park and Green Hill Park
 - Park Vandalism & Graffiti
 - NA

- Donations
 - NA
- Capital Improvement Programs
 - Worcester Common Master Plan Implementation – Update
 - City Hall Plaza Renovations
 - Aquatic Master Plan – Update
 - Demolition of remaining seven pools
 - Design of East Park Aquatic Facility
 - Institute Park – Update
 - Restroom Facility
 - Gazebo
 - Green Hill Park Renovation – Update
 - Vietnam Veterans Memorial
 - Green Hill Farm
 - Elm Park – Task Force & Update
 - Fire Alarm & Telegraph Building
 - Logan Field – Update (Skate Park & Construction)
 - Rockwood Field - NA
 - Vernon Hill – Update
 - Newton Hill – NA
 - East Park – NA
 - Knights of Columbus – Update
 - University Park – Update
 - Crompton Park – NA
 - Cookson Park – NA
 - Blackstone Gateway Park – NA
 - Greenwood Park – Update
 - Bell Pond - NA
 - Park Renovation Funding – Update
- Community Development Block Grant - Update
- Art-in-the-Park – NA
- Dog Park, Licensing & Control of Dogs – NA
- Misc items:
 - Keep Worcester Clean
 - July 2012 * August 2012
 - City Council Orders
 - Castle Park
 - Petitions
 - Schwartz Little League
 - ALB Update
 - Forestry Operations – Update
 - NA
 - Budget Update – Operational & Capital
 - Parks, Recreation & Cemetery Division
 - Golf Course
 - Summer Youth Employment Program – NA
 - Wheels to Water - NA
 - Holiday Tree – Festival of Lights November 30, 2012
 - Waterfowl in Park – NA
 - Out-to-Lunch – NA
 - Trash – NA
 - ESCo – NA
 - Park Permits – Civil War Event
 - Misc Information – Hockey Rink in Library Parking Lot
 - City Council Youth Parks & Recreation Committee
 - NA
- Golf Course:
 - Policy updates and changes
- Golf Course Donations
 - NA
- Tabled Items:
 - Smoking in Public Parks

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