



## PARKS AND ATHLETICS COUNCIL MINUTES

Tuesday, January 13, 2021 6pm

Virtual Via Webex

Present: Alderman Drew Burnette, Chair - Bob Brock, Vice Chair - Jeff Ullian, Jeff Devlin, Bill McAdams, Mark Geller, Scott Russ, Randy Armstrong, Student Rep. Dylan Carol, Staff - Sue Stuhl, Staff - Lauren Cox

Absent: Vonnie Tharp, Debbie Pinchok

Parks & Athletics Council Meeting:

1. Call to order at 6:02pm – Bob Brock
2. Roll Call – Lauren Cox
3. **Approval of Minutes from October 6, 2020** – Bob Brock – Motion to accept Bill McAdams, 2<sup>nd</sup> Scott Russ, Unanimously Approved
4. Farragut 40 Program Update – Lauren Cox
  - a. 63 Registered
  - b. Program gift: Reflective Arm Band
5. Field Use Update – Lauren Cox
  - a. 14 Rectangle Allocation Groups
  - b. 7 Diamond Allocation Groups
  - c. Fields open to prepay users on February 16
  - d. Fields open for spring on March 1
6. **Fee Recommendation (Athletic Fields and Pavilions)** – Motion to accept Jeff Ullian, 2<sup>nd</sup> Scott Russ, Unanimously Approved
  - a. Tournament/Excessive Trash/Damage Deposit
    - i. Council recommends \$500 refundable deposit
7. Discussion of Independence Day Parade
  - a. Date update – parade will take place on Saturday, July 3, 2021
  - b. Nominations for Grand Marshal
    - i. Leann Morgan
    - ii. Farragut School Principals
    - iii. First Responders
    - iv. Jason Zachary
8. No Smoking in Play Areas Update – Sue Stuhl
  - a. The ordinance passed 2<sup>nd</sup> reading

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- b. Signs will be placed in entrance of each park as well as at each park playground
- 9. CIP Update – Sue Stuhl
  - a. McFee Park Update
    - i. Added one multipurpose court to the project which will include striping for basketball, shuffleboard and 4-square
    - ii. Will begin ordering equipment in the next few weeks (trashcans, benches, kiosks)
    - iii. Planning ribbon cutting for July 2021
  - b. BCBS Foundation Playground
    - i. The Town has been awarded a \$750,000 grant for an inclusive playground
    - ii. The playground will be installed behind the Farragut Town Hall
    - iii. The playground will be completed by October 2021
  - c. Community Center Gym Floor
    - i. The gym floor is being reinstalled.
    - ii. Opening date looks like March 2021
- 10. Program Coordinator’s Report
  - a. “Signed, Sealed, Delivered – We Care” Letter Writing Campaign for Turkey Creek Medical Center
    - i. January – March with different themes
    - ii. Social Media Updates – Town of Farragut
  - b. Find the Admiral – Park Scavenger Hunt
    - i. The Admiral is hidden throughout our parks in 20 different locations
    - ii. Download the map at [farragutparksandrec.org](http://farragutparksandrec.org) to search for the Admiral
    - iii. 10 lucky winners will win a \$10 gift card to DQ
    - iv. Safely executed classes happening at the community center – check them out online
- 11. **Other Business/Adjournment** – Motion to adjourn at 6:43pm - Randy Armstrong, 2<sup>nd</sup> Bill McAdams, Unanimously Approved

Submitted by,

Lauren Cox

Parks & Athletics Coordinator