Regular Meeting.

Parks Commission November 7, 2016 4:30 p.m.

City Hall

Present:

Stowell, Urbanski, Krick, Krohn, Wyman.

Absent:

Louhela, Badger.

Staff:

C. Peterson.

Others:

K. Cresap, M. Sundberg.

MINUTES

The minutes of the September 12, 2016 regular meeting were presented and approved.

COMMUNITY ED REPORT

- A review of 2016 Beach at Pinehurst Park season was presented.
 - o Inquiry about the possibility of reduced hours in 2017.

CITY STAFF REPORT

- 2016 construction status update.
- Joint meeting with Council December 20th.
 - O Dunlap Island and Broadway Ave Improvements.
 - o Community Ed Contract.

COMMISSIONERS UPDATE/OTHER

- Commissioner Urbanski noted 17 hours of labor donated by volunteers to assist with repairs to the Pine Valley Ski Trail.
- Commissioner Krohn commented on the nice job with trail repairs on Pine Valley West.
 - o Requested more rocks and gate to discourage motorized traffic at key locations.
 - o Noted offensive graffiti under the pedestrian bridge over the St. Louis River.
- Commissioners Stowell inquired about renewal of the Braun Park Lease with CYBSA.

CLOQUET ARCHERY PROGRAMMING

Mike Sundberg addressed the Commission regarding his interest in growing archery programming in the Cloquet area. Mr. Sundberg is a certified instructor who was heavily involved with growing a local club and coaching in the Grand Rapids school district before moving to Cloquet. A long discussion was held regarding opportunities for coordination and challenges associated with locating indoor space in Cloquet.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting tentatively scheduled for December 20, 2016, 4:30 p.m. at City Hall.

On motion duly carried by a unanimous yea vote of all members present, the Parks Commission adjourned.

Secretary