

PERRYSBURG CITY COUNCIL

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Report for regular meeting of July 14, 2020

PRESENT: Chairwoman Deborah Born, Counselors Jonathan Smith and Jan Materni.

Chairwoman Born called the meeting to order in Council Chambers at 6:33 P. M. After the Pledge of Allegiance citizen concerns were requested. Mr. Smith stated that he had heard from residents that it would be a good idea to plant trees in Rivercrest Park along the border by I-475. He continued that this might be a good idea to present to the Administration since we are a tree city. Ms. Born supported the idea..

OLD BUSINESS: there was no action taken about the following old business items.:

- A) Riverside Park cannon stands.
- B) Inclusive Playground. Ms. Materni reported that she had seen on line that Channel 11 (WTOL-TV) is doing a duck drop fund raiser for this project on line,
- C) Splash pad.
- D) Multipurpose wall.
- E) West Side Handball Court: Chairwoman Born stated that she is waiting for further information on this project from Al Rava and she had asked him or a representative from his family to attend our next meeting.
- F) PABSC financials: Chairwoman Born stated that she is still waiting for information from PABSC President Tim. McGrady.

NEW BUSINESS: The Committee voted 3-0 to recommend to Council to approve the Mayor's request that Caleb Christen and Todd France be appointed to serve on the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee. Chairwoman Born explained to the prospective members the proper procedure for presenting PRAC recommendations to Council or to the Administration.

PRAC Report: No report because PRAC has not met since last year. Ms. Born explained that the Chairman of PRAC decides when the Committee meets.

OTHER BUSINESS: Ms. Materni asked if there has been any consideration to the creation of a dog park in Perrysburg. Mr. Smith responded that the subject had been previously discussed at this Committee when he had been asked about it by a citizen. He had hoped that a group of citizens might come together to advance this idea but the pandemic has slowed everything down. Ms. Born stated that she recalled that there was concern about liability plus the decrease in City revenue caused by the pandemic should make us conscious of additional expense..

Meeting Adjourned 6:49 P. M.

Next meeting is scheduled for August 11 at 6:30 P. M.

Report prepared by

Deborah L. Born, Chairwoman
July 27, 2020