

**PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION****AGENDA****THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2018****7:00 P.M.****COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL**

- I. CALL TO ORDER/TAKING OF ROLL/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- III. COMMISSION MINUTES
- IV. PUBLIC COMMENT
- V. STAFF REPORTS
  - a. Parks Update
- VI. OLD BUSINESS
- VII. NEW BUSINESS
  - a. P& R Master Plan
    - i. Project Priorities and Recommendations for 2019
    - ii. Review of Plan Progress to Date
- VIII. PUBLIC COMMENT
- IX. COMMISSION COMMENTS
- X. ADJOURNMENT

**GRAND LEDGE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION  
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**PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION  
August 23, 2018  
City Hall, Council Chambers**

**I. Call to Order – 7:00 PM**

**Roll Call**

<b>COMMISSIONERS</b>	<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
Rachel Kuntzsch, Chair	<b>X</b>	
Raechel Marks, Vice Chair	<b>X</b>	
Tiffany Harmon-Datsenko	<b>X</b>	
Ruthann Jaquette	<b>X</b>	
Eva Lund	<b>X</b>	
Chuck Mills		<b>X</b>
Christine Richardson-Beagle		<b>X</b>
<b>OTHERS</b>		
Michael Doty, City Council Liaison		<b>X</b>
Nick DiOrio, Grounds & Facilities Coordinator	<b>X</b>	

**II. Approval of Agenda**

Moved by Commissioner Jaquette, seconded by Commissioner Harmon-Datsenko. Motion carried.

**III. Approval of July 26, 2018 Minutes**

Moved by Commissioner Harmon-Datsenko, seconded by Commissioner Lund. Motion carried.

**IV. Public Comment**

Patsy Kufita, Recreation and Events Coordinator for Eaton County Parks, notified the Parks and Recreation Commission they are hosting a series of public meetings in September to brainstorm about potential future events at their parks. Public is encouraged to attend.

**V. Staff Reports**

**a. Monthly Financial Statement-**

- i. Due to yearly audit, no financial statement is available for this month.

**b. Parks Update**

- i. Nick DiOrio provided an update on park projects.

**VI. Old Business**

None.

**VII. New Business**

- a. Introduction of updated Charter as it applies to the Parks and Recreation Commission
- b. Discussion of 2019 splashpad seasonal hours of operation

**VIII. Public Comment**

None.

**IX. Commission Comments**

- a. Commissioner Chair Kuntzsch mentioned discussion of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan will occur during the September meeting. If Commissioners cannot attend a meeting, they must contact Commissioner Chair Kuntzsch.
- b. Commissioner Jaquette mentioned a lack of bike racks near the bakery and Farmer's Market.

**X. Adjournment: 7:25 pm**

Submitted by:

Raechel Marks, Vice Chair

Rachel Kuntzsch, Chair