

# **MINUTES FROM THE MEETING OF THE GILBERT PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION Sunday – January 31, 2021**

CALLED TO ORDER: 8:05 p.m., via Zoom

ROLL CALL: Present: Paul Nees, Lacie Moore, Rob Hart, Kristi Dillon, Carmon Wilson,  
Graham Lundt

Absent:, Anne Sents

Guests: None

Agenda Item:

1. Nees reviewed the December 13, 2020 Minutes. Approved on motion by Hart seconded by Wilson.
2. Nees reviewed the January 31, 2021 Agenda. No changes noted, approved on motion by Moore seconded by Dillon.
3. Old Business:
  - (a) Sand Volleyball at Banford Park –Met with Gary to measure out a more exact space of where the court would be. Nees will be getting the final approval tomorrow from the City Council. The city has a pole that could be donated and then a light could be attached. Light could be set to turn off at 10:30pm (when the park is closed). Nees will ask about this item at the meeting as well.
  - (b) Ice Skating at Lions Park- attempted a few times to fill the court but it is not holding the water. Don't believe we will be able to make this happen this winter but will look at solutions such a liner system like is being used in Ames on their ice rinks or tarring it for next fall/winter.
  - (c) Pickle Ball at Lions Park – the old poles and nets have been removed by the city. Hart looked into system options and found that they run between \$500 - \$3,000. The poles / nets for tennis and pickle ball are only a couple of inches different so we would recommend not getting an adjustable system and just stick with one that is not adjustable.
  - (d) Signs on Walking path – Hart spoke with Boy Scouts leader and they have agreed to take on the project. They are deciding if they will do the repairs as a group or if it will be an Eagle Scout project.
4. New Business:
  - (a) Discuss next steps on sand volleyball, ice skating, and pickleball projects- written out above in old business section.
5. Gilbert Youth Sports:

- (a) Update on Youth Sports Activities- Lundt-Basketball 5/6 is almost done. Everything has gone really well during January. Hart- Baseball registration for 1-6 is open and kids have already started to sign up.
- (b) Update on Adult League- Wilson- gym space is pretty scarce right now so there is currently no update.

6. Other Business:

- (a) None

7. The next P&R meeting was scheduled for February 28th, 2020 at 8:00 p.m. by zoom. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m. on motion by Dillon and seconded Lundt.

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Paul J. Nees, Chairperson