

City of Hastings Parks & Recreation

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Parks & Recreation Commission Agenda

Tuesday, January 12, 2021 – 7:00 PM *Zoom Meeting link to follow*

I. Call to Order

7:00 p.m.

Present: Commissioner Chair Chelsea Piskor, Commissioners: Ben Spader, Dave Pemble, Bruce Karnick & Craig Santelman, Parks and Recreation Director Chris Jenkins, City Administrator Dan Wietecha, and Recreation Program Specialist Paige Marschall Bigler

- II. Determination of Quorum Quorum Present: 5:5
- III. Approval of Minutes

Commissioner Karnick motioned to approve minutes, Commissioner Pemble seconded the motion. Minutes approved 5:5

a. Approve minutes of the Parks and Recreation Commission meeting held on December 8, 2020

IV. People Movement Plan

Director Jenkins provided a summary of strategies from the People Movement Plan. Jenkins noted the plan is in the final stage and staff requests Commission to offer a recommendation that will be provided to City Council. Commissioners asked questions regarding the People Movement Plan. Jenkins clarified the People Movement Plan is a document to be used in conjunction with other City planning documents and to use as a guide. Commissioner Pemble motioned to approve the People Movement Plan. Commissioner Santelman seconded the motion. Motion approved 5:5

V. Department Updates

Jenkins highlighted Department updates including:

- Call for Commissioners, interviews will take place prior to the next PRC meeting
- Ice Fishing program attendance last weekend included 43 households who registered for timeslots, upcoming programs include: Ice Fishing at Lake Rebecca, Saturday, February 13th, Snowshoe Guided Hikes at Jaycee Park, Sunday, February 14th and Saturday, February 27th & registration is required by contacting pmarschall@hastingsmn.gov
- The Civic Arena is operating within current guidelines
- Park Maintenance Staff are working on building ice at outdoor rinks, warming houses will open once the hiring process is complete. Current capacity restrictions will apply
- Next steps for the Lake Isabel Master Plan is to bring to the Committee of Council
- Staff is applying to the DNR outdoor recreation grant

Commissioner Spader motioned to adjourn meeting. Meeting adjourned 7.35 p.m.

Next Meeting: February 9, 2021 at 7:00pm

All times are approximate

7:05 p.m.

7:45 p.m.