

Forestry & Parks Commission Meeting

2/10/2022 4:35-5:59pm

Zoom

Meeting called by: Derek Barry

Type of meeting: Forestry & Parks Commission

Facilitator: Derek Barry

Note taker: Derek Barry

Attendees: Commissioners Austin, Child, Crawford, Dexter, Haase, Huffington, Johnson, Community Services Manager Derek Barry, Parks Supervisor Dan Gates

Minutes

Agenda item: Approval of the January 2022 meeting minutes

Presenter: Derek Barry

Discussion: Approved the minutes of the January 2022 meeting.

Conclusions:

Approved

Agenda item: Arbor Day 2022

Presenter: Derek Barry & Dan Gates

Discussion: Will host Saturday, April 23rd.

Discussion about location and tree selection. Suggestion of Rivergrove Drive with hornbeam.

Agenda item: Parks Master Plan Preferred Concept Approval

Presenter: Derek Barry

Discussion:

The Commission discussed preferred concepts and phased approaches and alternative or temporary improvements for each park. Fundraising opportunities like raffles, races or other events were also discussed.

Agenda item: Bennett property – park naming discussion

Presenter: Derek Barry

Discussion: Asking Commissioners for input in naming of park and themes. Commissioner Johnson is creating a google document for everyone to add ideas. Some initial ideas included environment, otters, watersheds, springs, fish.