

Recreation and Parks Advisory Board
RedGate Golf Course
April 26, 2018
Board Meeting Minutes

PRESENT: Board Members: Tom Lynch, Rob Harriman, Xiao-Feng Xie, Kent Wong,
Bob Taylor
Staff: Tim Chesnutt, Karla Sheehi
Citizens: None

Meeting commencement: 7:03 pm

Re: Approval of March Minutes

The March minutes were not ready for The Board's review yet. Karla was not present at March's meeting, so she is working with Tim to review the content for accuracy.

Re: Citizens Forum

No citizens in attendance.

Re: Staff Reports

- **Recreation and Parks Master Plan**
Tim thanked The Board for their support on the Master Plan. This topic was discussed at the Mayor and Council Budget Work session on April 23. Funding was approved for a new Master Plan. The Recreation and Parks Advisory board will be asked to provide input during the assessment of proposals in FY19.
- **KID Museum**
This is a project in the works, not yet finalized. The Museum will reside near the Twinbrook Metro. This is a partnership among The County, The City and the KID Museum, residing in a 51, 000 square foot building which will benefit the community.
- **Community Center West of I270 and South of Hurley Avenue**
Recreation and Parks will be studying to see if we can meet the community's needs by working out a deal with the owners of the Rockshire Shopping Center. The Giant grocery store, while vacant, currently holds the lease to their building. The City would like to propose to the land owner to redevelop the Center as half community facility and the other half townhomes.

Re: Subcommittee Reports

- a) **Youth Standing Committee Report** – None
- b) **Community Centers and Parks** - None
- c) **Glenview Mansion** - (Tom)
Five Teak Benches are being installed with memorial plaques on them in the formal gardens.
- d) **Recreation and Parks Foundation** - None

- e) **RedGate** – None
- f) **Swim & Fitness Center** – (Bob)
Lifeguards are being hired. The Office Manager position has been filled by a staff member from the Senior Center.
There is a meeting April 27 to discuss the detailed impacts of the storm water remediation, as it relates to the Locker Room and Skate Park Projects at the Swim Center
- g) **Sports and Fitness** – (Kent)
Chip found a volunteer coach for the T Ball program.

Re: Old Business/New Business

- **City of Rockville Hometown Holidays May 26 - 28**
All of our Boards and Commission members should have received their Hometown Holiday information, invitation and passes contained in the email from Mayor Bridgette Donnell Newton. The May Rockville Reports edition (shared at meeting) contains the list of the bands performing a map of all the events and entertainment for Hometown Holidays.

Re: Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:03 pm.

The next meeting: Thursday, May 17, 2018 at Gude Facility at 14625 Rothgeb Drive