

City of Scottsdale PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

Notice and Agenda

5:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 6, 2008
Mountain View Community Center
8625 E. Mountain View, Scottsdale, AZ 85258

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL

Chairperson Robert Frost, Vice Chairperson John Faramelli, George Adams, Jeanne Alspaugh, James Duchene, Ron King, Ronald Peterson

3. MOMENT OF SILENCE

4. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES – Regular Meeting January 16, 2008

5. MCDOWELL SONORAN PRESERVE UPDATE

Scott Hamilton, Preserve Trails Planner, and Bob Cafarella, Preserve Director, will provide an update on the status of land acquisition and the improvement of access areas and trails within the McDowell Sonoran Preserve.

Commission action: Information item

6. DISCUSSION FOR JOINT MEETING WITH CITY COUNCIL

Commissioner Robert Frost will lead discussion and review regarding the upcoming joint meeting with the City Council on February 20.

7. MCCORMICK-STILLMAN RAILROAD PARK MODEL RAILROAD BUILDING AND MASTER PLAN UPDATE

Holly Street Studio has been hired to update McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park's master plan and design a new model railroad exhibit. The existing model railroad clubs will relocate to the new customer-friendly building along with the park's Scottsdale Live Steamers. Holly Street Studio will be giving a presentation on the work that has been accomplished to date as well as the preferred location of the new building.

Commission action: Move to approve the location for the new model railroad exhibit and master plan update for park.

8. MOUNTAIN VIEW PARK UPDATE

Erin McKallor-Quill, Coordinator; Kelli Kurtz, Assistant Coordinator; and James Ingham, Grounds Maintenance III, will present a brief overview of Mountain View's Park and Community Center operations, amenities, programs, and services.

Commission action: Information item

9. PARKS AND GROUNDS OVER SEEDING AND WATER CONSERVATION POLICY

Rose Williams, Parks and Recreation Manager, and Dave Pratt, Parks and Grounds Maintenance Technician, will provide a brief overview on the City's over seeding policy and the City's water conservation efforts.

Commission action: Information item

10. COMMISSIONER REPORT

The commissioners will give updates on events and activities they have attended since the last commission meeting.

Commission action: Information item

11. DIRECTOR'S REPORT OF CURRENT EVENTS (A.R.S. § 38-431.02(K))

William Murphy, Parks and Recreation Director, will update the Commission on the status of events and activities of the Parks and Recreation, and Parks and Grounds Management Divisions. This includes, but is not limited to, updates on programming, special events, calendars, and upcoming meetings.

Commission action: Information item

12. PUBLIC COMMENT


Citizens may address the members of the Parks and Recreation Commission during Public Comment. This "Public Comment" time is reserved for citizen comments regarding non-agendized items. However, Arizona State Law prohibits the Parks and Recreation Commission from discussing or taking action on an item that is not on the prepared agenda.

Commission Action: Information item

13. ADJOURNMENT

Commission Action: Motion to adjourn the meeting

The Commission cannot discuss or vote on items not on the agenda, including items brought up as Commission or public comments. If action by the Commission is required, the item should be placed on the next meeting's agenda to be consistent with the Arizona Open Meetings Law.

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