

CLINTON CITY PARKS ADVISORY BOARD
City Manager's Conference Room
2267 North 1500 West
Clinton, Utah

The April 17, 2019 meeting was held at 7:00 PM. Board members present were:

Barbara Patterson
Scott Bailey
Terry Tremea
Jason McKaughan
Kent Draayer
Justin Gort
Bev Lambdin

Absent: Dennis Cluff, City Manager

BOARD REAPPOINTMENTS

Reappointments to the Board will be Bev Lambdin, Scott Bailey, and Terry Tremea. This will be on the April 23rd City Council agenda.

ADOPT-A-PARK

The Civic Center area has been adopted by the Youth Council. The Board also received an email from Rodney Morreira regarding possibly adopting a park and wanted to know what was involved. Bev sent an email reply to him reviewing the Adopt-a-Park program, but as of this date, has not heard back from him.

The suggestion was made to post the parks needing to be adopted on the City's web site and the Facebook site. Jason said that the schools have volunteer programs for the students and he will check out the programs to see if anyone would be interested in adopting a park. Kent questioned if the scouts and fire department might have groups that would be interested.

DISC GOLF

Jason said that everything is phenomenal and many people are using the course. However, there is minimal advertisement – just the newsletter. He said a sign and map was posted at the southwest corner of the bowery and was ripped off days later. He said that all the baskets are in and he has used irrigation flags to mark the tees. He said that Udisc and dgcoursereview (both apps) have a map and information on the City's course. He said that he has asked Zac to forward the course information to the Eagle Scout who is making the signs, but hasn't heard an update as to when they will be done. He said that the tee-off sites need to be marked also. Jason said that he has had positive feedback from those who are playing the course. We need a sign posted, temporarily, on the bowery until the permanent signs are installed. He's also asking Big 5 sports for coupons that we can use with the small Frisbees for Heritage Days.

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CITY COUNCIL PRESENTATION

Kent & Jason attended the 3/26/19 meeting. Kent gave a history of ball playing in the City. Jason said that unfortunately ball playing is not the biggest draw for kids any more. Kent said that the ball fields are in terrible condition – grass is too high, ruts in the fields, areas not raked, etc. He said that Zac said that the fields aren't kept up because they're not used. There was also a comment made that the school districts are responsible for them, but Clinton kids are playing on them and they face getting hurt. Most resources are spent on the Civic Center fields. Kent said that the Recreation Department would like to take care of the fields but can't because the Public Works Department is supposed to take care of them. The Board said that it seems as though the two departments are not communicating. Terry suggested to Barbara that maybe in the budget discussions, money from the Parks Department can be distributed to the Recreation Department to help keep up the fields.

MISCELLANEOUS & NEWSLETTER

- a) Pickle Ball – The grant is going in for the 8 courts. It will be combined with the \$90,000 anonymous donation given to the City.
- b) The parks listing on the City's web site has some errors. Trailside is listed as 1000 W and 2300 N. It should be 1000 W and 1800 North; West Clinton Park doesn't have 1800 N listed with its address.
- c) The disc golf map should be included on the City's web site. An announcement should be included on the electric sign on 1800 North.
- d) The City's web site also needs an update regarding the Parks Board members.
- e) The parking lot at 1300 N and 1000 W, at the roundabout, is finished and people now have an easy access to the Rail Trail.
- f) Newsletter – Announce that the disc golf course is completed, promote the Adopt-a-Park program again, and point out the new parking lot for the Rail Trail.

The next Board meeting will be on **May 22, 2019 at 7:00 PM.**

Meeting was adjourned at 8:10 P.M.