



**City of Sammamish  
Parks and Recreation Commission  
Regular Meeting**  
June 1, 2011 - 6:30-8:30 PM  
Sammamish City Hall ~ 801-229<sup>th</sup> Ave SE

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## **MEETING SUMMARY**

**Commissioners Present:** Hank Klein, Pauline Cantor, Larry Crandall, Mary Doerr, Rena Brady, John James, Steve Wright

**Commissioners Absent:** Krist Morrill, Judy Petersen

**Staff Present:** Jessi Richardson, Linda Frkuska, Janie Jackson

**Call to Order:** 6:32 p.m.

**Approval of Summary:** Summary for May 4 was approved

**Public Comment:** None

### **CIP Discussion**

Commissioners reviewed the list of potential capital improvement projects and began the process of prioritizing the projects to be included in the updated Parks Capital Improvement Plan (CIP). Staff will compile the results and prepare a draft CIP for review at the next Park Commission meeting.

### **Capital Projects Update**

See attached.

### **Park Commission Liaison Reports**

Farmers Market – Larry Crandall

See attached. Larry encouraged commissioners to participate in the city booth for the feasibility study.

Friends in Support of Sammamish Habitat – Judy Petersen and Rena Brady

Judy and Rena plan to meet with Jessi on Monday, June 6 to discuss this effort.

Community Garden – Mary Doerr, Larry Crandall

At the last meeting, the design team discussed concepts. Anjali Myer and Linda Frkuska were in attendance. The project is moving forward with permits underway with BPA. The next steering committee meeting is June 9 at 6:30 pm.

Backyard Wildlife Habitat Project – Pauline Cantor and Hank Klein

Hank and Pauline have been working to identify ongoing projects to maintain certification. As previously mentioned, there will be a naturescaping workshop and plant

salvage in the fall. There has been some discussion about a demonstration garden being installed on the north side of the library but this would need to be coordinated with KCLS.

Parks, Recreation and Open Space Plan – Hank Klein and Pauline Cantor

Work continues on chapter review. Staff anticipate the first draft of the plan will be done in the fall.

Sammamish Walks – see Judy’s email.

Sammamish Walks Website –

Hank has found the website and trail maps very useful.

**Other**

A temporary 6 to 12 month technical position is being created in the Parks department to support the Parks Planning team. This will help with projects that have stalled for lack of staff resources.

There was a discussion regarding honoring Stan Bump for his unofficial involvement with the Parks Commission.

Congratulations to Joanna Puthoff who received a \$1000 scholarship from WRPA.

There will be no meeting in August.

**Calendar**

Monday June 13	6:30 pm	Community Center Feasibility Study Public Meeting #4
Tuesday June 14	6:30 pm	Joint Meeting with City Council
Friday June 17	3:00 pm	Teen Fest at Sammamish Commons
Ongoing Wednesdays	4-8 pm	Farmers Market
Wednesday July 6	6:30 pm	Regular Parks Commission meeting

**Adjourn**      8:32 pm