

Parks Recreation & Visitor Services
8/8/2019

1) CALL TO ORDER, WELCOME

2) OLD BUSINESS:

a. Jacksonville Review column report – Kristen Sullivan

- October article
- Demographic Specific
 - Seniors, Kid based attractions
- Pickle Ball
 - Parking concerns
 - Third and Fourth courts are being painted

b. City Website Update

3) ACTION/DISCUSSION ITEMS:

a. Dog Park – Citizen concerns regarding park upkeep

- Bark is dirty
- Gary will talk to Sarah

b. Forest Park –

- Three Eagle Scout Projects
 - Blackberry out of base of damn
 - Planting 12 conifer seedlings (pine & cedar)
 - Kiosks with better intersection illustrations (50 kiosks)
 - Restore the gold mine on Miner's Trail and build an adit
- Horses in the Park
 - Two people have stepped forward to represent the interests of horseback riding in the park. They are part of a group, have asked they stay on roadbed trails.

- Invite to the next meeting in November to discuss how to appropriately accommodate the service in the overall context of the park's may use communities.
- Poison Oak Spraying
 - Get it away from the trail.
- Twin Peaks Trail Run in October
 - History of trail running in the park
 - Looking to host a 30K, 20K, 10K

4) OTHER BUSINESS:

- a. City Council Liaison Report – Councilor Garcia
 - General Updates from Council
 - Discussion about Hemp field fencing from deer.
- b. Public Works Report – Operations Manager Woody
 - Doc Griffin Park
 - Non Toxic Park program pilot
 - Workday by Non-Toxic group led by Lauren Kemple
 - Next one planned in the next month
 - Engineered bark has replaced legacy materials in all playgrounds.
 - Cottage Park, Pheasant Meadow, Doc Griffin
 - ADA compliance goal
 - Creekside will have fence replaced that has been repeatedly knocked down.
 - Pickleball courts being added
 - Graffiti incident up at new restroom.
 - Suggested surveillance signs, cameras or both.

5) PUBLIC COMMENT (3 minute limit per person)

- Josie Wall
 - Asks about yellow jacket spray,
 - Honeybee swarms are always relocated
 - Applied directly to nest remove hazards
 - Eliminates boldfaced hornets that actually eat honeybees
 - Spray is used for public safety, consideration of public.

6) NEXT MEETING: 5:00 pm, November 7th, 2019 ant New City Hall.

7) ADJOURN