

**NASHVILLE TOWN PARK COMMISSION
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2021**

Commission Members present at Town Hall: President Alisha Gredy, Member Anna Hofstetter and Member Mark Shields. Commission Members not present: Vice-President Alexis Caudell and Member Melanie Volland. Also in attendance: Administration Manager Phyllis Carr and Records Clerk Sandie Jones.

COMMISSION BUSINESS

1) CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order by President Gredy at 3:46 pm.

2) ROLL CALL

The roll was called by President Gredy.

3) APPROVAL OF MINUTES – 9-16-2021 MEETING

Member Shields made a motion to approve the minutes from the 9-16-2021 meeting. Member Hofstetter seconded the motion. Motion unanimously carried.

4) BICYCLE PUMP TRACK REQUEST – KATE NOLAND

Ms. Noland presented information referring to the bicycle pump track. These types of tracks are made of various materials. She is proposing the installation of a bicycle pump track at Lincoln Pinch Park. A dirt track could cost anywhere from \$20,000.00 to \$40,000.00, plus extra dirt must be available to add to the track as needed. An asphalt track can cost up to \$400,000.00. Discussion of possibly applying for a grant, get donors to help cover the cost and get volunteers to help maintain the track.

Ms. Noland stated there needs to be more things for families with young children to do in town. Member Shields presented the Park plans and thought it may be incorporated in the plans. Commission decided to get input from the other members not present.

5) DISCUSSION OF BENCH UPDATE

Administration Manager Carr advised that she has received another request for a bench to be placed at the park in memory of John Franz. This will be the last bench to be put at the park since we already have several there. Commission Members approved to have this bench at the park.

6) DISCUSS ICE SKATING RINK QUOTES

Member Hofstetter advised the Commission that she received quotes for a temporary ice rink. The quotes came in at \$51,900.00 to \$63,700.00 for 2 month rental for Holiday months. Post-Holiday rates are \$35,700.00 - \$47,450.00 for 2 months. Temporary electric would need to be installed. Skates are included, so there could be a charge for the skates, have different rates for the weekdays vs the weekend. Due to the limited budget the Park's Commission has to work with, it was decided to hold off on the ice rink for now. Research other means of funding this project.

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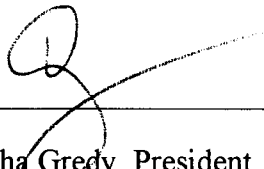
Member Shields and Administration Manager Carr advised the Commission that the Tree Board discussed the Duke Grant of \$2,500.00 that is remaining. This amount is to be used for educational purposes, such as, signage for the native species at the Town Parks along with information on invasive species.

7) ANY OTHER BUSINESS

President Gredy advised they should revisit the budget for the Town Parks. Member Shields would like to attend the budget sessions for 2023 to see if a percentage of funds could be added to the Town Park fund yearly.

ADJOURNMENT

Member Hofstetter moved to adjourn the meeting. Member Shields seconded the motion. President Gredy adjourned the meeting at 5:23pm.



Alisha Gredy, President

1/20/2022
Date