



Final Minutes

TOWN OF LYONS

Monday MAY 9th 2022 6pm-8pm

Parks and Recreation Commission

HYBRID: Effie Banta community room Lyons Library

And

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87276488232>

Passcode: 303823

Or call in!

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Meeting ID: 872 7648 8232

Attendance: Yelena Hughes, Tom Delker, Randy Pollard, Sandra Haber, Gil Sparks
Dave Cosgrove - Staff
Kim Mitchell - Staff
Glen Delman - BoT Liaison
Absent: Julia Herz, Claudia Kean

1. Approval of Minutes

2. Audience Business - Limited to 15 minutes - All comments will be limited to 4 minutes per person. No audience business

3. Updates

a. Staff, Director of Parks and Public Works, Dave Cosgrove - staffing updates - Joe McCain has joined staff full-time maintenance, , Chase Reider - starting full time - maintenance. Seasonals - Lachlan and Cormac Osborne and Joseph Lecaryzk. Park Hosts - second set at LMJ arrive in the next week and the LMJ hosts from past year are moving to Bohn and will be on staff May 15. Fields staff - hiring.

GOCO - BB Hole and 2nd Ave Trailhead – focus is to wrap up BB Hole buttoned up to open it up and then move to 2nd Ave Trailhead after. Work will continue through early summer, with construction and lead times continuing to throw a few challenges.

Additional Dry Camping in LMJ at rear area along field. Along with parking for tents and shelters. On weekends, Memorial Day thru Labor Day.

Bike Jump – Jump Doctors should be on the May 16 BOT consent agenda. Within the



budgeted amount and have great references and crew is ready to get working. Start the first or second week of June. Anticipate a two week time frame to complete work. Ready to go in early July.

4th Ave Bridge - delay with caisson on south side of bridge. Engineers are working on it and contractor has a current delay on placing the bridge for about 4 weeks. They are working on other elements of the project, sidewalks etc. along the route.

Prime Season for Parks Maintenance – irrigation started up in Bohn Park, LMJ Park. Main St irrigation being powered up this week.

Volunteer - clean up day. May 21. 8:30 - 10 am. Meet at Bohn Park.

Green Up- Clean UP

Saturday May 21

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Water Rescue Stations. Posts have gone in. Adding the boxes (river rescue stations along river). LMJ, Bohn Park, October Hole and BB Hole. Similar to how Plinewood has them.

Limb pick up - within Town of Lyons limits.- May 16 and May 17.

b. Board of Trustees Liaison- Trustee Glen Delman

Updates from the BOT in terms of how it impacts PRC. Recent discussions about Dowe Flats and CEMEX plant and agreement with BoCo Open Space after plant is retired, which could happen in 15-18 years. Mining permit was set to expire this year, BoCo offered right to request renewal of mining rights over the next 15 years, for BoCo to get 1800 existing acres which would get deeded to BoCo Parks and Open Space and CEMEX would have 3 years to engage in reclamation. BoCo Commissioners have to hold hearings and approve this application. BoT will meet with BoCo to decide if Lyons supports this application. If the application is denied, the plant can still operate and may instead trucking in materials from WY at a fast pace. ToL might be able to negotiate with the County to get more acreage for town's use.

c. PRC Chair/ Vice, Yelena Hughes and Tom Delker



d. Other PRC Member business

1. Fire Task Force PRC Liaison volunteer updates?

4. New Business

5 Old Business

- May 2nd BOT meeting read the Story Walk recommendation
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6.Adjournment – Motion by Gil. Second by Randy

PRC Events:

Dark Sky Event- Aug 5th (alt Aug 19th)

Lyons Community Foundation has donated a generous grant (\$850) to support this event. Questions regarding camping and tracking depending on how many campers there may be? Estimates for 50 ish, which should be good for camping and restroom use.

Promotion Plan

And a draft [media advisory](#).

updated special event permit for August 2022

Town Clean up info:

CURBSIDE

TREE LIMB PICKUP

The Town of Lyons has hired Baer Forestry to pick up tree limbs in town limits on Mon & Tues, May 16 and May 17, 2022.

Branches and limbs ONLY. No grass, weeds, loose yard waste, or compost. It will not be picked up.



No construction debris or treated lumber. No nails or wire in limbs. It will not be picked up.

Limbs and branches should be placed curbside by 7:00 am on May 16.

Limbs should be cut as straight as possible. Limbs must be less than 6" diameter and all cuts facing the same direction. Place limbs into stacks. Please consolidate where possible.

Limbs should be placed off the sidewalk. Do not park in front of your limb pile. Municipal code prohibits placing items in the street.

Limbs will not be collected in alleys. Even if your trash/recycling collection occurs in an alley, you must place limbs curbside in front of your property for pick-up.

Two days are scheduled.

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