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ADVISORY COMMISSION MEETING

February 17, 2021
5:30 PM

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 pm.

In attendance were: Bill Skelton, Nicole Kott, Megan Houser, Kim Gardner, and Laura Turner. Sarah Massie and Wayne Finger were unable to attend. (Eva Hansen, Dan Schultz and Wallace Messer were spoken to by phone after the meeting and each agreed with the PARTF application.)

New Business:

- The Waynesville Recreation Center and Old Armory will open at 10 am on Thursday, February 18, due to inclement weather.
- The Waynesville Recreation Center has won the Mountaineer's Readers Choice Award for 1st place for fitness, health and gym.
- There is no monthly review due to the Old Armory and the Waynesville Recreation Center not being open full time due to the virus.
- The Glow-In-The-Dark Disc Golf event went well with 18 players. We will continue to do these events until the time changes.
- Capital improvement requests for FY 22 will include new software, a new generator, a new HVAC system, new security camera upgrades, a new fire alarm security panel, repairs to the WRC roof and Old Armory roof.
- We had to cut down the big tree between the Kiwanis Playground and the All-Abilities Playground because it was dying and several limbs have fallen off and hit the playgrounds.
- The Town of Waynesville is interested in purchasing 18 acres across the street from the Waynesville Recreation Center. It is flat and in a flood plain.
- We took a vote from the advisory commission to move forward with the Parks and Recreation Trust Fund grant. Everyone agreed that it was a good idea. The purpose is to get enough funding to put in the bridge connecting to the new Schulhofer property. We will also include additional greenway and new recreational items. We will now seek approval to move forward with the application from the Town of Waynesville Board of Aldermen.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 5:50 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rhett Langston, Director

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