

Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission Meeting Minutes
May 15, 2024

The Leesburg Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission met on Wednesday, May 15, 2024, beginning at 7:00 p.m. at the Ida Lee Recreation Center located at 60 Ida Lee Drive, Leesburg, Virginia.

The meeting of Leesburg Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Commission Members Present:

Brody McCray, Chair
Laurie Burke, Vice-Chair
Patrick Aragon
Alex Richardson
Russ Shaw
Ryley Trahan

Absent: Kirsten Shabanowitz

Also present: Rich Williams, Director of Parks and Recreation

Approval of Minutes: The minutes of the meeting on April 17, 2024 were approved as presented 6-0-1.

Loudoun County Park Board Liaison

Citizen Comments:

New Business:

- Joint Meeting with Loudoun County Park Board - The Commission discussed holding a joint meeting with the Loudoun County Park Board in June. Ultimately it was decided to postpone any joint meeting until Fall/Winter.

Old Business:

- Georgetown Park Artwork - The Commission voted 6-0 for approval of specific artwork to be placed by the Commission on Public Art (COPA) within Georgetown Park. COPA will present the artwork to Council at their 5/28/24 meeting for final approval.
- CIP Project Update - An update of the Georgetown Park lighting, and the Veterans Park project was discussed.
- Brandon Park Playground - The Commission was updated on the conclusion of the survey and the number of responses received. Next steps moving forward is for staff to use input/survey data for an updated playground design that will be presented to the Commission for endorsement.

Future Business:

Director's Report:

- a. Financial Report
- b. Park Projects Report
- c. Scholarship Report
- d. ROCK Report

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 7:39 p.m.