



Town of Paradise

Recreation and Community Services Committee Meeting

Virtual Meeting

April 18, 2022, 11:45 a.m.

Council Present: Glen Carew, Councillor, Chairperson
Larry Vaters, Councillor
Dan Bobbett, Mayor, Ex-Officio

Staff Present: Lisa Niblock, CAO
Tina Auchinleck-Ryan, Recreation Manager
Courtney Hynes, Administrative Assistant

Guests Present: Kimberley Street, Deputy Mayor ***Entered at 11:56am and
Vacated at 1:09pm.***

Guests Absent: Elizabeth Laurie, Councillor

1. Safety Moment

Councillor Carew had brought forward a safety moment.

2. Adoption of the Agenda

The agenda was adopted as circulated.

3. Adoption of the Minutes

The minutes were adopted as circulated.

4. Business Arising from the Minutes

There was no business arising from the minutes.

5. New/Other Business

a. 2022 SunSplash (August 19-21)

The planned events for Sun Splash taking place from August 19th-21st, 2022 were circulated.

b. After School Program 2022-23 Registration

An update was given on the upcoming registration for the After School program 2022-2023.

c. Community Garden Update – April 2022

An update was given on the proposed location on Lanark Drive for the Community Garden. Committee was in favor of proceeding with the proposed location, offering beds at no charge for the first year and distributing letters to the residents in the immediate area.

d. Clean up Month 2022

The Committee had discussed the clean-up month that is taking place in May. It was noted that Committee members wish to participate in the clean up.

e. Open Space Phase 2 -Picco Ridge (12 Lot Sub-Division)

Committee reviewed the proposed open space and agreed with staff recommendation.

f. Nevaeh's Lemonade Stand

A request from Nevaeh's Lemonade Stand was discussed. Committee agreed to defer this item.

g. Summer Day Camp 2022 Registration

An overview was given on the upcoming registration for the Summer Day Camp program 2022.

h. Earth Day 2022

Details regarding the Easter programs that are in honor of Earth Day was provided to committee.

6. Old/Reoccurring Business

a. Canada Games 2025 - Internal Committee

It was mentioned that a meeting invite regarding the 2025 Canada Games will be going out soon to Council.

b. Indoor Skate Park - Update

The reopening of the Skate Park was discussed. Possible floor repairs were noted, and it was determined that the Facilities Manager will identify when it is safe to resume operations.

c. 2022 Grant Applications

A summary of all grants received thus far in 2022 was circulated to committee.

d. Elizabeth Park Refresh

Committee had discussed resident feedback regarding the Elizabeth Park Refresh. It was noted that all feedback is to be submitted through the online engagement.

e. Easter Brunch

Committee had acknowledged the success of Easter Brunch the weekend past.

f. RPYCC Kitchen Renovations

Consideration on renovations to the RPYCC Main Kitchen as a part of the 2023 budget was discussed.

g. Multi Sport Turf Meetings

It was noted that the monthly meeting for the Multi Sport Turf Field will be rescheduled for this month.

h. Multi Sport Turf Uprights

A request from Avalon Minor Football to install uprights at Octagon Pond Elementary School Field was discussed. Committee was in favor of moving forward with getting an estimate cost on the installation of uprights.

7. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 1:17pm.