

Parks and Recreation Commission

Meeting Minutes

July 13, 2023

Members present: Daniel Mallatt Hannah
Diehl Lewis

Others present: West Bitner Ewing

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Daniel at 12:16 pm.

There were no minutes available for approval.

There was much discussion about the old pool building. Mallatt wanted to make a final decision to either keep it or demolish it. After discussion a motion was made by Mallatt and seconded by Diehl to recommend demolishing the building. The motion carried by a 3 to 2 vote. Mallatt will inform City Council at their next meeting.

Hannah mentioned the condition of the Trail of Memories, specifically the trees, and questioned whose responsibility the maintenance is. This previously was the responsibility of the organization that installed the trees but that organization is no longer involved so the Parks Department has been trying to do what they can. Hannah stated that the Methodist men and women would like to be involved in assisting. Mallatt made a motion second by Lewis for the Methodists to assist in maintenance. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

There were questions about the old metal slide at North Park. It was decided to remove it. the Parks Department doesn't have the equipment and will have to borrow or get another department to remove it.

Motion to adjourn by Lewis and second by Mallatt. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

The meeting ended at 12:55 pm.