

City of Independence Parks Board Meeting
Council Chambers
January 16, 2025 – 6:00 pm
DRAFT Minutes

Present: Erin McIntosh (Member), Jasper Smith (Member), Kristen Larson (Member), Nicole Sikes (Member), Gerald Fisher (Public Works Director)

Excused Absence: Jonathan Jay (Chair), Barbara Cronin (Member)

Unexcused Absence:

Public Present: David Clyne

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Minutes
Minutes from December 19, 2024, amended and approved.
4. Visitor/Public Comment: None
5. Staff Reports/Presentations: None
6. Unfinished Business: None
7. New Business:
 - 7.1 Appoint Board Chair – Board appointed Member McIntosh to Board Chair.
 - 7.2 Appoint Board Vice Chair – Board appointed Member Sikes to Board Vice Chair.
 - 7.3 Parks Master Plan Presentation. (Fisher) – GreenWorks/Keller provided a presentation of the results of the survey and open house and received feedback from Board. Chair McIntosh asked that we include historical including the pool, stage coach, and other. Mr. Clyne recommended additional projects and to focus on the prior parks master plan and opportunities with Master Gardeners. Member Larson mentioned it would be good to show physical obstacles to access. Member Smith mentioned socio-economic data in the mapping would be helpful.
8. Other Discussion/Information Items:
9. Adjournment – Meeting adjourned.