

MINUTES
PARK ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Brandon Park Advisory Committee met in regular session at 5:15 p.m. on February 15, 2023 at the Brandon City Council Chambers.

Roll call was taken. Members present were Barb Fish, Mindy Hansen, Jon Jacobson, Adam Rothenberger and Leigh Zirbel. Also present were Park Superintendent Devin Coughlin, City Engineer Tami Jansma and Development Director Patrick Andrews. Absent: City Administrator Bryan Read.

Member Hanson moved Member Zirbel seconded to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Member Rothenberger moved Member Fish seconded to approve the minutes of the January 18, 2023 regular meeting. Motion carried.

Mike Hertz, Garretson, was present on behalf of Brandon Wellness. Mike gave updates on Brandon Wellness – are officially a non-profit organization, they have joined the BV Chamber of Commerce, meeting with other groups. Website – brandonwellness.com

Miles for Mutts 2023 – Jayme Smid, 205 S. Sunshine Avenue, Anytime Fitness, was present for discussion. Jayme wants to host the 6th annual Miles for Mutts on May 7, 2023 at Aspen Park. Member Rothenberger moved Member Zirbel seconded to approve the request as presented. Motion carried.

Tom Grunig, Sioux Falls, President of Brandon Valley Hockey Association, was present for discussion. Tom gave an update on plans to construct a new facility at Aspen Park. Tami Jansma, City Engineer, gave an update on the status of Aspen Park and Ironwood Street extension. The existing rinks at McHardy Park will be torn down once new facility is constructed. Patrick Andrews, Brandon Development Director, gave an update on zoning issues with current ordinance that doesn't permit a hockey facility as proposed. Staff will be presenting a draft ordinance to the Planning & Zoning Commission for consideration. Member Hansen moved Member Rothenberger seconded to approve the concept plan as presented. Motion carried.

2023 Projects Update – Devin gave an update on projects for this coming year.

City of Brandon 50th Anniversary Celebration – Devin gave an update on plans being made for the weekend of July 21—23, 2023.

Tree board items – no update at this time.

Next regular meeting scheduled for Wednesday, March 15, 2023 at 6:15 p.m.

At 6:04 p.m., having no further business, Member Hansen moved Member Zirbel seconded to adjourn the Park Advisory Committee meeting. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Melissa Labahn
Municipal Recording Clerk

Devin Coughlin
Park Superintendent