

TOWN OF COLLIERVILLE
Parks, Recreation, & Cultural Arts Advisory Board
May 10, 2022 – 5:30pm
Agenda

CALL TO ORDER Chairman Derenburger

APPROVE AGENDA Chairman Derenburger

REVIEW / APPROVE – April 12, 2022 Minutes Chairman Derenburger

PUBLIC COMMENTS

ITEMS:

- 1. Ryan’s Place Playground – Fencing Greg Clark
- 2. Ashby PUD – Greenbelt proposal review Greg Clark

DIRECTORS REPORTGreg Clark

OTHER BUSINESS Chairman Derenburger

ADJOURN: Next Meeting – May 10, 2022



Parks Advisory Board Meeting – May 10, 2022

Members Present: Chris Armour, Corrine Derenburger, Joe Ennis, Maureen Fraser, Micah Miller, Jennifer Moerbe, Kathy Thiele, Jimmy Turner

Members Absent: NONE

Staff Present: Greg Clark,

Guest(s) Present: NONE

Corrine Derenburger called the meeting to order at 5:36 p.m.

Approval of Agenda

Joe Ennis made a motion to approve the agenda. Chris Armour seconded the motion. The board approved the agenda.

Approval of Minutes

Kathy Thiele made a motion to approve the minutes of the April 12, 2022 meeting. Jennifer Moerbe seconded the motion. The board approved the minutes.

Public Comments

NONE

Items

1. Ryan's Place Playground Fencing: Greg Clark provided the Board with an aerial photograph of the Ryan's Place Playground at WC Johnson Park and said that he had received several requests for the Town to install permanent fencing around the playground. The proposed fencing would match the existing fencing around the WC Johnson Spray Park. Greg mentioned that the biggest drawback to installing permanent fencing to the playground is the close proximity of the proposed fence to the existing playground surfacing on the south side of the playground. Any permanent fencing would eliminate the direct access these parking places have to the playground. The Board looked at the proposed fencing site and discussed different options for access to the playground if fencing was installed. Other discussion included keeping an access point on the sidewalk coming from the WCJ Softball Complex and creating easier access point for going to/from the Spray Park. After discussions, the Board recommended that the proposed fence have three (3)

access points - 1) east side parking area, 2) sidewalk from Softball Complex, and 3) existing sidewalk adjacent to the sand playground. Greg said he would also look at new handicap parking spots on the east side of the playground to see if additional ones are needed. Greg will be getting quotes for the fencing project and keep the Board updated.

2. Ashby PUD - Greenbelt: Greg Clark told the Board that the original Ashby PUD plan had come before the Park Advisory Board in February 2021. The PAB at that time had reviewed the proposed development for both parkland dedication and greenbelt dedication. Since February 2021, the developers have proposed a completely new project development and wanted a new review for greenbelt dedication. The new project plan does not have an eight (8') foot asphalt trail shown on the plans connecting White Road and Maynard Way – instead the development is proposing wider sidewalks along White Road and a new road (Six Crown Creek – South) to provide the connection to Maynard Way. There will also be a sidewalk connection on the north side of Maynard Way. Greg discussed pros and cons of the proposal including using sidewalks would not require any new Town Maintenance issues. He also stated that Collierville Residents are very favorable of designated asphalt greenbelt trails. The PAB discussed the proposed plan and determined that they would recommend that **an eight (8') asphalt trail be installed from White Road to Maynard Way as outlined on the Collierville Greenbelt Master Plan.** Jimmy Turner made the motion and Jennifer Moerbe seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Director's Report

Greg Clark presented a report to all members and provided upcoming event dates/times as well as Park Project updates. Kathy shared with the Board the dates of the next Arts Council Production – Adam's Family (June 16-26)

The meeting was adjourned at 6:35 p.m.