

AGENDA
PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
VIA INTERNET & CONFERENCE CALL
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2020
6:30 p.m.

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Web Meeting Ground Rules:

- The meeting shall be recorded and the video shall be posted on the City of Stamford website http://cityofstamford.granicus.com/ViewPublisher.php?view_id=9
- The Parks & Recreation Commission shall moderate the audio for attendees.
- Attendees shall be on mute and will be unmuted when called to speak by the Commission members.
- Attendees will have 20 minutes to make their presentation or address the Commission.
- Any Attendee wishing to submit materials or a written statement can send it prior to the meeting to lcapp@stamfordct.gov or submit through a Chat message to the Commission Chair during the meeting.

CALL TO ORDER:

- Review of the May 20, 2019 Regular Meeting Draft Minutes.

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Kosciuszko Park:** Update on the condition of the meadow area behind the picnic gazebo and towards the middle section of the park.
- **Cummings Park:** Thomas Woods will make a presentation for a proposed Drive-in Movie in Cummings Park with a percentage of the proceeds going to Stamford Recreation Services.

OLD BUSINESS:

- **Cummings Park:** Barbara Karp, Friends of Stamford Parks, will provide an update on projects in Cummings Park.
- **Capital Projects:** Lou Casolo, Engineering Bureau Chief for the City of Stamford, will report on several Capital park projects: (1) Holly Pond Seawall Replacement; (2) Springdale Brook Wall Stabilization; (3) West Beach Boat Ramp Replacement and (4) Redesign of Veteran's Memorial Park.
- **Jackie Robinson Park:** Kevin Murray, Operations Manager - Parks & Facilities to provide update on Grant application including National Fitness Campaign.
- **Czescik Park:**
 - Jennifer Williams, Parks & Recreation Bureau Chief & Kevin Murray, Operations Manager: Parking lot to be designated and signed as "parking by permit only."
 - Follow-up to last month's report and a Thank-you from Kathleen L. Matthews, Volunteer.

SPECIAL EVENTS:

- Louise Mane Choules - *Wedding Ceremony - Saturday, June 27, 2020 from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.* at Fort Stamford Park - Set-up starts at 3:00 p.m. and Clean-up time TDB - 48 Adults & 2 Children.
- Francise Jean-Louis - Haitian American Collaborative (H.A.C.) - *(Reschedule for 2021) Haitian Flag Raising.*
- Robert Cheatham - Vegan Health & Fashion Vibes - *(Reschedule for 2021) Vegan Health & Fashion Vibes 1st Annual Expo.*

TOURNAMENTS:

No Tournaments.

STAFF REPORTS:

- Laurie Albano, Superintendent of Recreation: Recreation Update.
- Kevin Murray, Operations Manager - Parks & Facilities: Parks Update.
- Jennifer Williams, Parks & Recreation Bureau Chief: Monthly Status Report.

CORRESPONDENCE:

None.

DISCUSSION:

- **Parks & Recreation Commission Policy & Procedures and Parks & Recreation Commission By-laws:** Both documents currently under review and pending approval from the Mayor.
- **Stamford Parks Volunteer Stewardship - Scalzi Riverwalk Nature Preserve:** Discussion on policy, application and agreements.