

PARKS MEETING NOTES FOR JUNE 9TH, 2021 9:30 AM

Meeting was called to order by Ollie Iversen at 9:33 AM with Martin Howard, Annie Taylor, and Ollie Iversen present for a quorum. Also in attendance was Scott Thomas, Town Administrator, Mary Wohleb, Town Councilperson #5, and Michael Davolio, Town Planner.

Old business

- A. *Fish Painting and sealing at Conner Waterfront Park-Ollie reported the painting was on schedule and should be completed at the end of this week, with a sealing coat applied later. The slide is open and functional after each painting day.*
- B. *Review Neighborhood Community Advisory Committee meeting on Hedlin Field-Annie Taylor, Park's representative on the Community Advisory Committee, reported the group had some questions. First, when will the area become public space? Michael Davolio said that the area is zoned residential, which means it can now be used as a park. After the house buildings are completed and all building storage is off site, we can start on the park infrastructure, meaning drainage, water lines, crosswalks, sidewalks, etc., to prepare the site for the future.*
- C. *Review Neighborhood Community Advisory meeting on Hedlin Field Survey-Their second question was where and who will receive the survey? After some discussion, we decided the survey will go out in the Town's water bills., will be added to the Town website and, available at Town Hall. Beyond that, Ollie will work with the Swinomish Tribe and Shelter Bay Association to work out a way the survey can be digitally distributed in those areas. Annie felt the survey may be finished and ready to go out in this Fall. Parks has yet to view the survey.*

New Business

- A. *Pavilion Costs to date-Ollie reported on the new pricing as coming in higher than the 2018, and 2019 numbers. These new numbers have just started to be reviewed to see what other costs need to be included. It is obvious we will have to pay more for many reasons, as some parts of the project were to be borne by Public Works and volunteers and that has changed. Lumber costs are also higher. We will contact the supplier to get a number for them to do the entire project. Also, Michael Davolio said the Shoreline Permit was in the earlier 404(?) and he would help with the building permit paperwork..*
- B. *Bench Placement for Morrey Cort-Ollie talked about how supportive Morrey was of Conner Waterfront Park and after she passed, her family purchased a memorial bench to be placed somewhere in the park. The bench, with help from Brian Lease, has been ordered by the family and should arrive in a month or less. When it arrives, Parks will work with them to place it in the park to enable it to be used by many, in memory of Morrey.*
- C. *Other-No action*

The meeting adjourned at 10:20 AM

Ollie Iversen

Parks Commission