

PARKS MEETING NOTES FOR JULY 14TH 2021 9:30 AM

MEETING AT GARDEN CLUB

The meeting was called to order at 9:35 AM by Ollie Iversen, our first in-person non-Zoom Parks meeting in over a year. Present were Marty Pease, Ken Lee, Annie Taylor, Martin Howard, and Ollie Iversen which makes a quorum. Also present was Scott Thomas, Town Administrator.

Old Business

- A. *Bench placement for Morrey Cort-The commemorative bench, per Morrey's daughter, will be arriving in August and she will be coming to Town soon to confirm its placement with Public Works. It will probably be located at Waterfront Park.*
- B. *Pavilion costs to date-The Town Council at their July 13th council meeting, passed a budget amendment and fully funded the pavilion at Conner Waterfront Park at \$38,500. Brian is ordering plans. Date of installation is uncertain but it is planned to be completed this fall.*
- C. *Revised and reprinted Parks Walking Tour Brochures-The Parks Walking Tour brochures printed March of 2020 had run out and Ollie revised some copy and reprinted another 100 copies. Most of them are used by the La Conner Chamber.*
- D. *Review Neighborhood Community Advisory Committee about Maple Street Park survey-The two Parks Commissioners on the Community Advisory Committee, Annie Taylor, and Marty Pease, went through the committee's proposed usage survey and asked for comments. The survey was nicely done and there were two or three additions and corrections. It is four pages, printed two sides, and will go into the Town's water bill, be on the Town's website and also sent, in some manner, to Shelter Bay and Swinomish residents. When finished, it will be on the Town Council agenda for their approval at their next meeting and will be distributed in August. The survey information will be our guide as to what the people, who will be using the park, feel is the best use of the park.*
- E. *Planning/Parks Meeting-This was old business which came about after the agenda was drafted, about the upcoming Planning meeting, Tuesday July 20th at Maple Center. One item on their agenda is adding Parks to the Town's Comprehensive Plan and some Parks commissioners will be attending.*

New Business-No new business was brought up

The meeting was adjourned at 10:20 AM.