



## Lake Lure Parks & Recreation Regular Board Meeting June 5, 2025

### Call to Order

Board Chairman Robin Worcester called to order the June 5, 2025, Regular Meeting of the Parks & Recreation Board at 1:30 p.m.

### Roll Call

#### Board Members present:

Chairman Robin Worcester	Mr. Dan Gorman	Ms. Jennifer Vivolo
Mr. Ozzie McFarland	Mr. Matt Manzi	Ms. Debbie Warren

#### Board Members absent:

Vice Chairman Dan Bragdon, Mr. Larry Czajkoski

#### Other Town Staff and Contributors Present:

Councilman Jim Proctor, Council Liaison  
Dana Bradley, Director Parks, Recreation & Lake

### Agenda and Meeting Minutes

The agenda for the June 5, 2025, regular meeting was reviewed. Dan Gorman made a motion to adopt the agenda. Debbie Warren seconded the motion, and all members voted in favor.

The minutes from the May 1, 2025 board meeting were reviewed. Debbie Warren made a motion to adopt the minutes. Dan Gorman seconded the motion, and all members voted in favor.

### New Business

There was no new business.

### Old Business

There was no old business.

### PRB Communications

Parks, Recreation and Lake Director Dana Bradley informed the Board that the price for rubberized surface for the new playground would far exceed the budget and would not be practical. The Board agreed that the mulch that would be installed as part of the Kaboom grant would be sufficient. There

was talk about the Design Day for the new playground and a date of July 30<sup>th</sup> was announced. Many Board members stated they would be able to attend and would share this information with the public.

#### **Updates on Town Trails**

Director Bradley announced that the AmeriCorps Member will continue to assist with the maintenance of the area's trails. The Town, Rutherford Outdoor Coalition, and Rutherford County have agreed to keep funding the position, during this time that the AmeriCorps program is shut down. She stated that there had been many great volunteer workdays on the trail over the past month and the Weed Patch Mountain Trail and Buffalo Creek Park Trail are looking much better. She is hopeful that the trails may be able to be reopened later this year. Bradley stated that the Dittmer-Watts Nature Trail was in good shape.

#### **Lake Lure Flowering Bridge**

Dan Gorman stated that volunteers were continuing to beautify the area near the Education Center. This area is a valuable asset with many beautiful flowers and shrubs for the community to enjoy.

#### **Town Events**

Communications Director Laura Krejci was unable to attend, but sent a list of upcoming events for the Board to look over.

#### **Input from Town Council Liaison**

Councilman Proctor had no further comments.

#### **Other Comment**

There were no other comments made.

#### **Adlournment**

**Debbie Warren made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 2:43 p-m- Dan Gorman seconded the motion, and all members were in favor-**

Minutes were transcribed by Dana Bradley.

The next regular meeting of the Parks & Recreation Board meeting will be July 3, 2025 at 1:30 p.m. This meeting will be held at the Parks, Recreation, and Lake Office.

ATTEST:

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Robin Worcester, Vice Chairman

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Dana Bradley, Parks Recreation and Lake Office Director