



**TWO  
RIVERS**  
WISCONSIN

# ADVISORY RECREATION BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, October 27th, 2022 at 6:00 PM

Koska Room - Community House 1520 17th  
Street, Two Rivers, WI 54241

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## MINUTES

### 1. ROLL CALL

Board Members: Daniel Cortte, Brian Gallagher, Travis Kadow, Justin Klinkner, Kathy Peterson, Robert Reed Jr., Dorothy Tinkham Delo, Chase Mathias, Adam Wachowski-Council Rep, Jeff Dahlke-Council Rep

### 2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Kathy Peterson made motion to approve  
Brian Gallagher 2nd the motion

### 3. CORRESPONDENCE

### 4. COMMENTS FOR THE PUBLIC (Limited to 3 minutes each)

Don Debryan- concerns with bicycling near the beach, cyclists not abiding by the ordinance.  
Made suggestion for signage  
Concerned about pedestrians

Mike- walkway is considered a trail. Bikes are allowed but will be brought up at the next City Council work session. Seasonal signs to be placed.

Discussion on width that determines sidewalk vs trail.

Debbie Anderson- slide at Neshotah park needs dirt and wood chips due to roots coming up.

### 5. NEW BUSINESS

Blake and Katie of Parkitecture: Neshotoah Park BrainStorm session.

Look at functionality of trails  
Discussion about where the best place is for all features in the park.

#### South Beach

Beach is packed, parking is not adequate. Concession area was flooded with people. Used for Rentals and Parks and Rec events. 2 restrooms and out houses in all parking lots. Possible to shift picnic area, could use more picnic space. The 4ft walkway needs work, lighting, and making it more inviting. Looking for better flow between the beach and park.

Jet Ski Lot- designated also for the Fire Department. Underutilized, Better Kayak access.

Looking to spread people out, look to add amenities on the North side of the beach.

Southwest-Picnicking near beach, underutilized, beautiful area, floods in spots.

Baseball diamond-barely used. Sometimes overflow for games.

Courts- non-functioning, cracks  
Move picnic shelter  
Discuss to increase parking

North West-Horseshoes (all volunteer and donation) Shelter- horseshoes and rentals, bathroom.

Playground-zip line is an issue. Discussion on moving the playground to the Baseball diamond. Needs better access from the playground to the beach.

Shelter/shed- possibly move

Volleyball area-under utilized.

Natural area/woods- used to walk. Quiet, well-liked area.

Additional picnic area

Possible Conservation/DNR grant funding

Sand migration is an issue in winter, summer is good. Possible opportunities for DNR grant funding.

Basketball striping- is used some later in the day.

Discussion on improving signage in the park, and improving broken items in the playground. Currently it is not safety compliant. Water issue under zipline. Light posts are also an issue.

Trash issues this summer

Thoughts about how to use the park in winter-sledding, winter sports, Utilize cabins, utilize view, add more rest rooms.

Signage needed for wayfinding

Idea for Christmas on the Beach

## **6. OLD BUSINESS**

Review playground quotes and images from Bolland Recreation. Suggestion for new surface under new equipment.

Lee Recreation proposal \$397,400 in early 2022

Boland Recreation proposal 1: \$415,779

2: \$339,913

Northland Recreation proposal \$316,917

Gerber Leisure: \$448,000

Input from board

Pickleball update- should be poured in the next week.

Need to fill vacant position

**7. OTHER BUSINESS**

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**8. DIRECTOR'S REPORTS**

Mariner's Trail Update

**9. ITEMS FOR FUTURE ADVISORY RECREATION BOARD MEETINGS**

**10. NEXT MEETING**

Next Meeting Scheduled for November 8th. Board decided to cancel and meet again December 13th

**11. ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn- Kathy Peterson  
2nd Jeff Dahlke

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