# City of Rainier Parks, Recreation and Education Committee Meeting May 23, 2022 6 p.m. Rainier City Hall

Chair Levi Richardson called the meeting to order at 6 p.m.

**Committee Members Present:** Tiffany Hatley, Randall Johnstun, Sharon Jump, Gary Rice and Levi Richardson

Committee Members Absent: Kristi Cole, Terry Deaton and Tess Pote

**City Staff Present:** W. Scott Jorgensen, City Administrator; Sue Lawrence, Public Works Director

## **Flag Salute**

Visitor Comments: There were no visitor comments at this time.

#### Consider Approval of the Consent Agenda

Consider Approval of the April 25, 2022 Parks, Recreation and Education Committee Meeting Minutes—Vice Chair Gary Rice moved to approve the consent agenda. That motion was seconded by Randall Johnstun and adopted unanimously.

#### **Old Business**

a. Riverfront Trail Completion Event—City Administrator W. Scott Jorgensen reported that few entries have been received for the coloring contest. Committee members agreed by consensus to extend the submission deadline until 5 p.m. on Friday, May 27. Tiffany Hatley agreed to promote the coloring contest using online social media sites and traditional in-person means. There was a discussion about the placement of garbage receptables for the event. Public Works Director Sue Lawrence said her department can put those out. Some will be near the snack shack and others will be closer to the bridge. There was a discussion about where the starting and finish lines for the fun runs should be. Committee members agreed by consensus that they should start at the bridge and finish at the playground. A popup tent can be placed there for the candy and ribbons. Chair Levi Richardson volunteered to man that tent. Rice volunteered to do the staging for the bike and trike parade. Hatley agreed to do the staging for the fun runs. Sharon Jump agreed to help out at the snack shack. Committee members agreed by consensus that the commemorative coins be placed at a table by the podium. Hatley said there will be free popcorn offered

at the snack shack.

## **New Business**

- a. Park Master Plan Update—Lawrence said the plan proposal was approved by council and she's working on getting the process started. The consultant will be appearing at a future Parks Committee meeting to engage its members to help develop the plan.
- b. Proposed Longview Event—Lawrence said she was contacted by a representative of Longview's parks and recreation department. The event would be similar to the bridge run that's currently done in Astoria. It would start at the city park in Rainier and go to Lake Sacajawea in Longview. The group that's organizing the event is working with the Oregon and Washington department of transportation to shut down the Lewis and Clark Bridge for an hour. April 23, 2023 is the tentative date for the event, and volunteers will be sought. Around 100 people are expected to participate. The one in Astoria usually has around 3,000. Richardson asked Lawrence if the group organizing the event could come to a future Parks Committee meeting. She said she would reach out to them.

Richardson adjourned the meeting at 6:52 p.m.

Levi Richardson, Chair

W. Scott Jorgensen, City Administrator

## City of Rainier Proposed Disc Golf Course Improvements

Hole 1—fine as is

Hole 2—move the tee closer to Hole 1; basket between the trees in front of the playground

Hole 3—move the tee closer to the new Hole 2; hole can be the current Hole 2

**Hole 4**—currently goes to the tree grove; should be eliminated. Move the tee closer to Hole 3 (currently Hole 2); have the new Hole 4 to the right of the gazebo

Hole 5—move the tee closer to the new Hole 4; keep the basket in the same spot

**Hole 6**—move the tee closer to the new Hole 5; have the new Hole 6 be to the right of the volleyball court

**Hole 7**—move the tee closer to the new Hole 6; have the new Hole 7 be closer to the new tee for Hole 6

**Hole 8**—move the tee closer to the new Hole 7; have the new Hole 8 be by the current tee for Hole 7

Hole 9—renumber from Hole 7





towards 1st hole the disc lands until

hole #9

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