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**Recreation Commission
City Council Chambers
33000 Garfield, Fraser, MI 48026
Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2023 @6:00 p.m.
Minutes**

1. Call Meeting to Order

Chairman Kelley called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

Chairman Kelly led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Roll Call

The following members were present:

Hunt, Kelly, Koch, Walker, Rice

Others:

Recreation Coordinator Seay, Laura Lesich, Wendy Radke

4. Approval of Agenda

Motion by Kelley, supported by Hunt to approve the agenda of the September 19, 2023 Recreation Commission as presented.

AYES: Hunt, Kelley, Koch, Walker, Rice

NAYS: None

Motion Carried

5. Approval of Minutes from Regular Meeting August 1, 2023

Motion by Kelley supported by Koch to postpone the minutes of the August 1, 2023 Recreation Commission meeting as presented.

AYES: Hunt, Kelley, Koch, Walker, Rice

NAYS: None

Motion Carried

6. Volunteer Group Reports

Laura Lesich discussed approval for \$5,000 canopy to add to Fort Fraser. She also discussed FFBC booth for Firemen Open House. She would also love a flyer to be promoted asap. Lesich also brought up Trunk or Treat events throughout the city and advised it's best to begin Christmas in Fraser planning.

7. Reports on Current Events

Recreation Coordinator Seay gave details of Firemen Open House. Seay also gave details on things he's worked on for Christmas in Fraser.

8. Overview Report of Parks and Recreation

Commission wanted to know if any sports teams are interested in Fraser. Seay gave details of new sports teams youth/adult that have addressed their interest in playing in Fraser. Commission member Rice gave details on mental health event that he's holding October 14.

9. Other Business

a. Interview Candidate for Commission Vacancy

- Interview for Wendy Radke was conducted and rec commission approved her on their end. Informed her to wait for city council meeting to make her full member.
- Motion by Kelley supported by Koch to recommend Wendy Radke for approval to City Council

AYES: Hunt, Kelley, Koch, Walker, Rice

NAYS: None

Motion Carried

- Jamie could not make meeting and will be interviewed at next meeting.

10. Citizen Participation

Radke gave ideas for mental health assistance for commissioner Rice mental health event.

11. Commission Members with Concerns

Commissioner Walker/Kelley expressed concern for state of Fort Fraser. People trying to remove things DPW added to keep people off slide. Commissioner Walker also expressed with concern for McKinley Park grass length. Commissioner ~~Cook~~ **Koch** wanted Trunk or Treat details. Planning to get commission members to multiple trunk or treat events to show city support. Council spoke in Big Bounce parking concern. Gave ideas for parking spots to help fulfill contract.

12. Adjournment -

Motion by Kelley supported by Hunt to adjourn the meeting at 7:12 p.m.

AYES: Hunt, Kelley, Koch, Walker, Rice

NAYS: None

Motion Carried

Respectfully Submitted:

Martez Seay, Recreation Coordinator
City of Fraser

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