

MINUTES
PARK COMMISSION
MEETING OF THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, 2017

The Park Commission held their Meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 14, 2017 in their office, 45 Meadow Lane, Brockton, MA. There being a proper quorum, the meeting was called to order by Chairman Bill Keane. Present were Commissioner Chickie Studenski, Commissioner Ulisses Varela, and Superintendent Timothy W. Carpenter. Commissioner Billy Anderson was absent.

The following attended: Honorable Mayor Bill Carpenter

A motion was made by Commissioner Studenski and seconded by Commissioner Varela to accept the minutes of the November 9th, 2017 meeting. Motion carried.

A discussion was held pertaining to the Patriot's Playground at McKinley Park. Mayor Carpenter requested from the Commission that the playground at McKinley Park to be named "Jennifer Lynn Fey Playground" for the long missing 16 year old girl.

A motion was made by Commissioner Studenski and seconded by Commissioner Varela to name the playground at McKinley Park - "Jennifer Lynn Fey Playground". Motion carried.

Superintendent Carpenter reported on the 2017 Annual Review of Golf Course Operations. He updated the Commission on tournament confirmations, the "Drive to \$1 million" promotion, the First Tee Program and the partnership with Good Sports.

Superintendent Carpenter reported on the conditions and revenues of DW Field Golf Course. He stated that November's revenues were \$50,665 whereas November of 2016 was \$43,900. This is the second highest November on record. Overall 17 year average is \$31,500. This year's golf revenues are up \$89,000 from opening to end of November which is currently at \$1,007,000.

Superintendent Carpenter reported that the golf course will officially close on December 22nd and there are no more cart rentals. Cart Paths are currently being redone and rerouted. Tree work is being done at the grove on 10th tee and 11th green. The RFP for the Lunchroom concessions are currently in the Law Office for their review and the RFP for the bunkers will follow.

As for the Parks, Superintendent Carpenter reported that they are concentrating on equipment maintenance, tree, leaf and snow removal. The focus has been on McKinley Park with the base and astro turf to be delivered and the project completed prior to Christmas.

Having no further business, a motion was made by Commissioner Studenski and seconded by Commissioner Anderson to adjourn the meeting at 7:35 PM. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Timothy W. Carpenter, Superintendent of Parks