

MINUTES
PARK COMMISSION
MEETING OF THURSDAY, AUGUST 19TH, 2021

The Park Commission held their Meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 19th, 2021 in their office, 45 Meadow Lane, Brockton, MA VIA VIRTUAL ZOOM MEETING. There being a proper quorum, the meeting was called to order by Chairman Bill Keane. Present were Commissioner Charles Studenski, Commissioner Billy Anderson, Commissioner Kevin Borges, Superintendent Timothy W. Carpenter and Assistant Superintendent Kurt Calderwood. Commissioner Ulisses Varela being absent.

A motion was made by Commissioner Studenski and seconded by Commissioner Anderson to accept the minutes of the June 3rd, 2021 meeting. Motion carried.

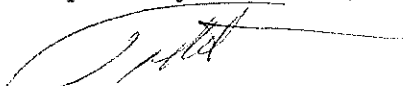
Superintendent Carpenter reported to the Commission on the Golf Course. The golf course's revenue for June, 2021 was \$211,290 down \$10,133 from June, 2020. June was one of the hottest months recorded. July, 2021 revenues were \$ 190,900 down \$100,852 from July, 2020. July was one of the rainiest months recorded. The month of August to date is \$136,732 which so far is down \$39,472. The year to date revenues are \$941,949, whereas last years' year to date was \$859,830. This is an increase of \$82,089.

The Commission reviewed the report submitted by Golf Pro Paul Coutoumas pertaining to outings, programs and usage of golf course. Assistant Superintendent Calderwood reported to the Commission about the on-going projects at the golf course including the upcoming aeration date and playing conditions due to the weather. Superintendent Carpenter is looking into a window replacement project for the Clubhouse later on this fiscal year.

Superintendent Carpenter reported to the Commission about the work that was done at Buckley Playground and Gilmore Academy. Edgar's Playground was discussed including but not limited to too many people gathering there especially on Sundays and other policing issues. Pool season is scheduled to end tomorrow, August 20th for both the Manning and the Cosgrove Pools. The Splash Pad is scheduled to be turned off prior to Labor Day. Temporary fencing at O'Donnell's playground came down for the Basketball Courts and the playground, but was kept in place for the field itself. An email went out to all the candidates to notify them of no political events, campaigning and signs in the City's parks.

Having no further business, a motion was made by Commissioner Studenski and seconded by Commissioner Anderson to adjourn the meeting at 7:39 PM. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Timothy W. Carpenter, Superintendent of Parks