

AGENDA
PARK, BEACH & RECREATION COMMISSION
February 6, 2008

The Park, Beach and Recreation Commission will hold its February meeting on Wednesday, February 6, 2008 at 7:30 PM in Meeting Room C in the Parsons Complex.

I. Consideration of Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Park, Beach and Recreation Commission held on January 2, 2008.

II. **Election of Officers – Chairman and Vice-Chairman**

III. **Public Statement**

The time limit granted to each speaker shall be limited to (3) minutes.

IV. **Correspondence**

1. Email: Peg Daniels re: Monuments on the Green.
2. Letter: Denise Morris Curt re: vendor's Social Security number requirement.
3. Letter: Jackie Maloney re: Gulf Beach Stand lease termination.
4. Email: Complaint: Storage container at Walnut Beach is an eye soar.

V. **Director's Report**

1. Adaptive Basketball pilot program up and running at Tri-Beach Neighborhood Center.
2. Walnut Beach shelter replaced.

VI. **Commissioner Reports**

1. Movies on the Green meeting with mayor and public works.
2. Boundless playground meeting at Mayor's Office.

VI. **Old Business**

1. Background screening update.
2. Boys and Girls Club of America update.

VII **New Business**

1. Placement of plaque at Gulf Beach re: Revolutionary War P.O.W.'s.
2. Review of Gary Gianotti's documents and proposals.

VII. **Adjourn**

Distribution: Alan Jepson, City Clerk; Jessica Blacketter, Alderman; Judith Toohey, Alderman; Bruce Kolwicz, Public Works Director; Park, Beach & Recreation Commissioners

From: Peg Daniels [fgronstrom@att.net]
Sent: Monday, January 28, 2008 10:56 AM
To: Bill McCarthy
Subject: Additional Monuments

Good morning Bill,

I would like to be at the Commission meeting, but I have a prayer group that I will be at. Therefore, I am sending a response by e-mail regarding additional monuments on the green or anywhere else to be exact.

- A. There are too many monuments on the green and especially the plaque dedicating names at the base of the trees around the green. When does it end? As to placing them on trees, I am sure the trees over the years will be ruined or become diseased. (Another problem in the future). As it is, the Public Works Department has enough to do without picking, cleaning, mowing through any of the areas they tend to. The Recreation Department doesn't need to monitor the areas.
- B. The gentleman that requested an 1814 monument, again were does it end? I agree those names can be placed at the Fowler Building. Look to the wall in the Parsons' Media Hall; fantastic array of names and all were honoring the men/women not the war.
- C. As to the 1814 war monument, I am sure that the person suggesting this was only related to the history of the (beginning times) of THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and to whom the men that gave of their life, etc. I only wish people would get off their soap opera against wars and think about our men and women.

As always out spooking,

Yours In Christ &

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