

PARKS, RECREATION, AND WATERWAYS COMMITTEE

CITY OF WISCONSIN DELLS 300 La Crosse St

WISCONSIN DELLS, WI 53965

JULY 18, 2016

1. Appointed Chairperson Priegel called the meeting to order at 5:30 P.M. Notice of the meeting was provided to the Dells Events, WNNO Radio, and posted in accordance with State Statutes.

Present: Chairperson DeFosse, Gordon Priegel, Mike Warnke, Joey Van Dinter, Tammy Mayer, Lauren Witecha, Beck Gussel, Thad Meister

Others: Ed Legge Dells Events, Debbie Kinder, Easton Dreher

Excused: Lauren Witecha

2. Motion by Mayer seconded by Gussel to approve the April 4, 2016 meeting minutes. Motion carried unanimously.
3. Discussion only on the potential closure of the waterway to Wis River due to Illinois Ave bridge construction. Chris Tollaksen updated the committee regarding difficulty that the contractor was experiencing with removal of the old bridge. It was noted that river access closure could be up to as much as two weeks. The committee directed Thad to notify slip users via email, talk to River Bay regarding potential weekday traffic being redirected to the public launch, and to notify Dennis Mitchel of Red Beard Bow Fishing. No Action was taken.
4. Motion by Priegel and seconded by Van Dinter to accept the Canoe/Kayak launch donation from the Stewards of the River and Rotary Club. Signage is to be placed near the launch regarding using at your own risk. Motion carried unanimously.
5. Motion by Warnke and seconded by Priegel to approve the 2016 Fall/Winter Program Guide.
6. Motion by Warnke and seconded by Van Dinter to adjourn at 6:15 PM. Motion carried unanimously.

Thad Meister

Parks, Recreation, & Waterway Director