

Recreation & Arena Advisory Commission Meeting

December 9, 2019

Rochester Arena Conference Room

Attendance: Kevin Barry, Bob Brown, Pete Lachapelle, Joan Strogen, Dick Clough, Dave Anctil, Dave Colson, Sheila Colson, Lauren Krans, Chris Bowlen, Paul Roberts

Accept November Minutes

Dave Colson motion to accept, Kevin Barry Second.

Review Revenue and Expense Reports

Dave Colson motion to accept, Kevin Barry Second.

2020 Summer Camp and Camp Aid Registration Dates

Commission supported the following Camp Registration Dates:

February 10 –Camp Aid applications accepted in Rec Office until March 13, or when spots fill, whichever comes first.

April 1-Rochester Resident camp registration opens.

April 11-Camp Info Session #1: 8-9am @ the Rec

May 1-Non-resident registration opens.

May 9-Camp Info Session #2: 8-9am @ the Rec

June 5 -Tuition must be paid in full @ Rec Office by 12pm.

Last day to register for camp if space is still available!

June 6-Camp Info Session #3: 8-9am @ the Rec

June 22 –First day of camp! *Subject to change based on school snow days.*

July 2-City Firework Display! Mt. Cannon relocates to Nancy Loud.

July 3- No camp, City Holiday!

August 14-Last day of camp!

2020 Public Swim Dates and Hours

Commission supported opening the pools on June 20 and closing them for the season on August 16.

Public Swim dates and times will remain the same as last year.

Program Registration Fee Review

Director Bowlen explained that the Rec has not modified program/activities rates in 5+ years. He proposes a review of all departments registration rates and fees. Commission supports this.

Recovery Friendly Workplace

Asst. Director Krans presented information on the Recovery Friendly Work Place Program.

Commission supported moving forward with this program.

OTHER:

Director Bowlen briefed the commission on the collaboration with Rochester Main Street for Free Comic Book Day.

Director Bowlen explained that the Fireworks Planning Committee was exploring moving the fireworks show to the Thursday instead of Friday. Commission supports moving to Thursday if the committee decides to.