



Agenda City of Sacramento Parks and Recreation Commission

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Historic City Hall, Hearing Room
915 I Street
August 7, 2008 – 6:00 P.M.

The Parks and Recreation Commission is a commission of the City Council that provides recommendations and advise on policies, projects and other matters pertaining to parks, recreation, trees, and human services affecting the City of Sacramento.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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AGENDA

August 7, 2008

*Historic City Hall, Hearing Room
915 I Street*

All items listed are heard and acted upon by the Parks and Recreation Commission unless otherwise noted.

Call to Order – 6:00 p.m.

Roll Call

Public Comments- Matters Not on the Agenda

1. To be announced

Public Hearings

Public hearings may be reordered by the Chair at the discretion of the Commission

2. **Appeal of a Decision of the Director of the Department of Parks and Recreation to Approve a Request to Remove Heritage Trees**

Location: (Curtis Park Village P04-109, North of Sutterville Road, West of 24th)

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Parks and Recreation Commission hear this item de-novo

Contact: Joe Benassini, Urban Forest Manager, 808-6258

Special Oral Presentation

3. None

Consent Calendar

All items listed under the Consent Calendar are considered and acted upon by one motion. Anyone may request that an item be removed for separate consideration.

4. **Approval of Minutes for May 1, 2008**

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Approve commission minutes for May 1, 2008

Contact: Lori Harder, Support Services Manager, 808-5172

5. **Public Art Projects for Fremont and Southside Community Gardens**

Location: Fremont Community Garden – Northeast corner of 14th & Q Streets;
Southside Community Garden – Northwest corner of 5th & W Streets, Council District 4

Recommendation: Receive and file

Contact: Robert J. Fleming, Park Operations Manager, 808-6301

6. Sacramento County American River Parkway Plan 2006

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Support Sacramento County American River Parkway Plan 2006

Contact: J.P. Tindell, Park Planning and Development Services Manager, 808-1955

Discussion/Action Reports

Discussion/Action reports include oral presentations including those recommending review and comment.

7. Reichmuth Park Master Plan Update

Location: 6135 Gloria Drive, Planning Area 3, Council District 4

Recommendation: Support Reichmuth Park Master Plan Update

Contact: J.P. Tindell, Park Planning and Development Services Manager, 808-1955

8. Support an Amendment to the South Natomas Community Park Master Plan for Fort Natomas and Development of the Jefferson Park Master Plan

Location: South Natomas Community Park, Planning Area 9, Jefferson Park, Planning Area 9

Recommendation: Support an amendment to the South Natomas Community Park Master and the proposed process for development of the new Jefferson Park Master Plan

Contact: Jonathan Rewers, Parks & Recreation Analyst, 808-7590

9. Department of Parks & Recreation Sustainability Plan 2008-2015

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Support adoption and implementation of the proposed Department Sustainability Plan 2008-2015

Contact: J.P. Tindell, Park Planning and Development Services Manager, 808-1955

10. Parks and Recreation Director Report (Oral): A. June 2008 department highlights; B. July 2008 department highlights; August 2008 department highlights; D. Proposed "Lending Library"

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Review and comment

Contact: Jim Combs, Parks and Recreation Director, 808-8526

Questions, Ideas, and Announcements of Commission Members

11. Nomination and Election of Parks and Recreation Commission Vice-Chair

Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Nominate and elect new Commission Vice-Chair

Contact: Cindy Cooke, Commission Chair, 808-5200

Adjournment