Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Minutes Evening Meeting 5:30 p.m. – October 12, 2016

Meeting Location

Parks and Recreation Administrative Conference Room

Roll Call

Board Members Present: Sam Susuras

Bob Wiig Kyle Emert Marc Litzen Chris Kennedy Kristy Emerson Scott McBrayer Abby Landmeier

Parks and Recreation Staff Present: Rob Schoeber, Director

Traci Wieland, Recreation Superintendent Mike Vendegna, Parks Superintendent Mike Mendelson, Head Golf Pro

Heidi Vetere, LSR

City Staff Present: Phyllis Norris, Mayor

Item 1: Meeting called to order by Kristy Emerson at 5:35 p.m.

Item 2: Approval of Minutes

Sam Susuras moved to approve the September 1, 2016 Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Minutes. Marc Litzen seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Motion approved by the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board: Yes 7 No 0

Item 3: Goal Setting

Rob Schoeber talked with the Board about the Future Capital Projects presentation. Staff has grouped potential projects into years.

- o 15 potential projects in 1-2 years
- o 5 potential projects in 3-5 years
- o 3 potential projects in 5+ years
- o 9 potential redevelopment projects (did not cover in October 12, 2016 meeting)
- 12 potential new development projects (did not cover in October 12, 2016 meeting)

Rob asked the board to listen to the description of each slide that was given by either Traci Wieland, Mike Vendegna, or Michael Mendelson, and then prioritize each project. After the initial priority rating was complete, staff went over a summary, including cost, of the project. After the staff presentations, the board was asked to do a final priority rating.

Due to a City Council meeting, the board tabled discussion of the rest of the projects, as well as the two other agenda items until the November meeting.

Item 4: Project Updates

Tabled

Item 5: For the Good of the Community

Tabled

Item 6: Future Meeting Dates

Kristy Emerson is going back to Nursing School and will not be able to attend the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board meetings as her daytime schedule will be changing weekly. A noon meeting does not work well for Chris Kennedy either. Parks and Recreation Staff is available at whatever time the Board decides to meet. Bob Wiig and Marc Litzen were in favor of leaving the meeting time in the middle of the day as they were previously set, not taking into account this specific special evening meeting time. The Board will further discuss future meeting dates at the next meeting. Rob Schoeber suggested an evening meeting in November to allow for continued discussion of the Board's capital improvement priorities.

Item 7: Adjourn

The meeting adjourned by acclimation at 6:40 p.m.

Next meeting: Tentatively set for an evening in November at 5:30 p.m. to complete the Future Capital Projects power point.

Submitted by: Heidi Vetere Grand Junction Parks and Recreation Leisure Service Representative

Maintenance Projects	Description	Priority	Priority
1-2 Years			
Botanical Gardens	Vent Controls, HVAC, Misting System, Stucco Repair		
Suplizio Field Infield	Removing existing turf, update infield irrigation and install new sod		
Stocker Stadium West Restrooms	Reached a state of deterioration and disrepair, renovation is a must		
Tennis Court Improvements	South courts haven't been painted since 2008		
Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades	Deck furniture last replaced in 2006 and has outlived 10 year life expectancy.		
Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades	Solar Maintenance, Garage Door, Filter System and Exhaust Fan		
Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Upgrades	Boards replaced in 2006 and typically last 10 years.		
Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Opgrades	Current plaster was last replaced in 2005 and typically lasts 8-10 years.		
Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Opgrades	There was no drain installed with the splash pad in 2005. A drain would allow for recirculation into the main system.		
Columbine Safety Net Replacement	Safety netting has UV damage that has caused areas of the net to fail		
Batters Eye Repair, Canyon View Baseball	Movement has caused eye to bend, large braces will be placed on each pole to anchor the structure		
Playground Replacement	In need are Sherwood Park, Columbine Park and Wingate Park/School		
Riverfront Trail Repair	Many areas on the trail system have large cracks/lips creating dangerous safety hazards		
Skate Park Improvements	Eagle Rim Skate Park requires basic amenity improvements		
Cemetery Irrigation and Roadway Repair/Replacement	The asphalt roadways have not had any maintenance in over 40 years and are in maximum decline		
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3-5 Years			
Tiara Rado Golf Parking Lot	Parking Lot needs to be scraped, leveled and expanded to withhold level of traffic seen at the facility		
Suite Carpet, Chairs, & Table Replacement	Replace existing chairs, tables and carpet prior to reaching a poor quality level		
Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades	The boards were last replaced in 2009 and typically have a 10 year life span.		
Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Upgrades	The circulation pump was last replaced in 2005 and typically lasts 15 years.		
Kronkright Restroom Renovation	Renovation would consist of upgraded fixtures and addition of heating units for year round use		
5 + Years			
Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades	The circulation pump was last replaced in 2008 and typically lasts 15 years.		
Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades	Boiler was replaced in 2012 and typically lasts 10-15 yrs. Current plaster was replaced in 2013 and typically lasts 8-10 yrs.		
Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Upgrades	Boiler was last replaced in 2012 and typically lasts 10-15 years.		
Re-Development Projects			
Stocker Stadium Perimeter Fencing	Old chain link fence has succumb to wear and tear and twist tops pose a safety hazard		
Suplizio Field Stands Repair/Replacement	Stands are showing signs of failure; areas have rusted through on the steps		
Suplizio Field Lighting Upgrade	Upgrade to LED lamps to increase the lumens output along with energy savings		
Canyon View Park Baseball Scoreboard	The scoreboard has reached its life expectancy and is in need of replacement; was installed in 2000		
Columbine/Kronkright Softball Scoreboards	Existing scoreboards have passed their life expectancy and require repairs, parts can be difficult to find		
Lincoln Park Splash Pad Renovation	The Splash Pad was installed in 2005. It is in need of a mechanical system replacement and upgrade of features.		
Stocker Stadium Track Replacement	Completely renovate track surfacing along with gutter and drains, last repainted in 2012		
Columbine/Kronkright Fence Replacement	Chain link around both are extremely old and showing wear from years of soft toss into the fence		
Emerson/Whitman Park Restroom (Poor)	The restrooms were constructed in the 1960's and are outdated, dilapidated and in need of replacement		
New Development Projects		Initial	Final
Crown Point Cemetery Improvements	Has undergone renovations but did not include any type of placement for cremations		
Orchard Mesa Cemetery Columbarium	Columbarium Niches are used for placement of cremains and is becoming the burial option of choice		
LP Pool Second Flume	Current tower and catch tank were designed for second waterslide; additional flume will increase usage/revenue		
Redlands Trailrace Whitewater Park	A section of Redlands Tailrace area in Connected Lakes section of Riverfront is identified as location for whitewater park		
Las Colonias Park Development	Development will continue with middle shelter, riparian restoration, overflow parking, multipurpose/festival area, etc		
Community Recreation Center	Development of a community recreation center as identified in the 2014 Matchett Park Master Plan		
Senior Recreation Center	Downtown location is desirable but the building's infrastructure is declining		
Matchett Park Development	Development of the park according to the 2014 Master Plan		
Kronkright Batting Cage/Pitching Lanes	Install upgrades to the complex including batting cages, pitching lanes, soft toss over synthetic turf surfacing		
Tiara Rado Golf Maintenance Building	Maintenance building needs to be moved and rebuilt to allow parking lot expansion		







MAINTENANCE PROJECTS

15 Potential Projects in 1-2 Years

(Please list them in order of priority, 1 being the top priority and 15 $\,$ being the lowest priority)

Botanical Gardens (Vent Controls, HVAC, Misting System, Stucco Repair) — 1-2 Years



Cost:

Install new controls which will allow automatic operation of curtains and vents based on temperatures. Install AC coil forced air system to allow office area to be cooled. Install misting system in greenhouse and butterfly house and repair stucco on the castle.

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Suplizio Field

Cost:

The project would consist of: removing the existing turf, update the infield irrigation system, correct the elevation changes, rebuild/level the pitcher's mound, laser grade the infield including the 1^4 8.3° baseline and install new athletic field blue grass solt

Initial Priority Rating	Final Priority Rating

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Stocker Stadium West Restrooms 1-2 Years



Cost:

The Stocker Stadium west stand restroom facilities have reached a state of deterioration and disrepair that renovation is a must. Fixtures have become obsolete, parts are no longer available, doors are rusted out and not secure and HVAC units are no longer functioning. Restroom renovation will greatly reduce maintenance costs as well as provide a safer, cleaner and more aesthetically pleasing facility.

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Tennis Court Improvements



Cost:

Preventative maintenance of tennis court surfacing/painting is a must in keeping the courts playable. The South Courts at the Canyon View Tennis Complex have not been repainted since construction in 2008, and will soon reach their 10 year life expectancy.

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Notes:

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Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades



Cost:

Deck furniture last replaced in 2006 and has outlived 10 year life expectancy.

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Cost:

Replacement of solar pumps, heat exchanger and replacement of panels since much is from original construction in 1983. The garage door is a hazard to staff/contractors when load/unloading. Filter system requires rebuild. Currently, there is only one exhaust fan working.

Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades

(Solar Maintenance, Garage Door, Filter System, Exhaust Fan) 1-2 Years

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Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Upgrades





Cost:

Boards replaced in 2006 and typically last 10 years. Replacement is preferred since repair requires the boards to be shipped out of town, causing significant down time.

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Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Upgrades



Cost:

Current plaster was last replaced in 2005 and typically lasts 8-10 years.

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Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Upgrades

(Splash Pad Drain) - 1-2 Years



Cost:

There was no drain installed with the splash pad in 2005. It loses approximately 500 gallons a day. A drain would allow for recirculation into the main system.

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Columbine Safety Net Replacement



Cost:

Replace the safety netting at Columbine softball fields. The UV damage to the netting has caused large areas of net to fail.

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Batters Eye Repair, Canyon View Baseball

Riverfront Trail Repair



Cost:

A Trail Inventory Future Needs Assessment has been completed for over 19 miles of Riverfront and Urban trails within the City limits that the Parks Department maintains. The assessment was conducted to determine trail condition, safety concerns, hazardous situations and the total amount of concrete and asphalt trail. In many areas throughout the trail system, large cracks have developed, concrete has settled leaving large lips creating dangerous safety hazards. The areas of concern have been identified and prioritized.

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Playground Replacement

MAINTENANCE PROJECTS

5 Potential Projects in 3-5 Years

(Please list them in order of priority, 1 being the top priority and 5 being the lowest priority)

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Tiara Rado Golf Parking Lot

3-5 Years



Cost:

Tiara Rado Golf parking lot needs to be scraped, leveled and expanded. The lot has been repaired numerous times in the past for various reasons, and is no longer withholding the amount of traffic seen at the facility.

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Suite Carpet, Chairs & Table Replacement

3-5 Years



Cost:

Replace existing chairs, tables and carpeting prior to the quality reaching a poor level. The equipment is starting to show signs of wear and with the popularity and increased number of rentals each year, it is important to keep our equipment in the best condition as possible.

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Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades

(Diving Boards) - 3-5 Years



Cost:

The boards were last replaced in 2009 and typically have a 10 year life span. Replacement is preferred since repair requires the boards to be shipped out of town, causing significant down time.

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Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Upgrades



Cost:

The circulation pump was last replaced in 2005 and typically lasts 15 years. It will require significant down time for removal if this occurs during the summer season. A planned replacement is optimal.

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Kronkright Restrooms

3-5 Years



Restroom renovation would consist of upgraded fixtures and the addition of heating units to allow year round usage.

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MAINTENANCE PROJECTS

3 Potential Projects in 5+ Years

(Please list them in order of priority, 1 being the top priority and 3 being the lowest priority)

Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades

(Circulation Pump) - 5+ Years

Lincoln Park Pool Maintenance Upgrades



Boiler was last replaced in 2012 and typically lasts 10-15 years.

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Orchard Mesa Pool Maintenance Upgrades

(Boiler, Plaster) - 5+ Years

REDEVELOPEMENT PROJECTS

9 Potential Projects

(Please list them in order of priority, 1 being the top priority and 9 being the lowest priority)

Stocker Stadium Perimeter Fencing



Cost:

Much of the current fencing around the perimeter of the Lincoin Park sports complex is very old chain link fence. The fence has succumbed to wear and tear and the twist tops at the top of the fence pose a safety hazard.

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Suplizio Field Stands Repair/Replacement



Cost:

The stands at Suplizio field are starting to show signs of failure. There are several sections of the stands that surface rust has completely eaten through the steps and many sections that the surface rust has caused significant damage. The repairs of the stands would include stripping out all rust, repairing damaged sections, sealing cracks and repainting of the stands.

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Suplizio Field Lighting Upgrade



Cost:

Upgrade the lighting at Suplizio field to LED lamps to increase the lumens output along with energy savings. Making these upgrades will allow the field to meet/or exceed the MLB requirements.

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Canyon View Park Baseball Scoreboard



The scoreboard at the Canyon View baseball field has reached it's life expectancy of useful service and in in need of replacement. It is the original scoreboard that was installed in 2000 when the second phase of Canyon View Park opened which included a baseball field.

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Columbine/Kronkright Softball Scoreboards





Cost:

The existing scoreboards at both Columbine and Kronkright sports complexes have far surpassed there life expectancy and require more and more repair. The scoreboards are using old technology and it is difficult to find parts.

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Lincoln Park Pool Splash Pad Renovations



Cost:

Columbine/Kronkright Fence Replacement





The chain link around both softball facilities is extremely old and showing wear from years of soft toss into the fence. Remove all existing chain link fence and replace with a black vinyl fence with a safety topper.

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Emerson/Whitman Park Restroom (Poor)



Cost:

The restrooms were constructed in the 1960's and have become outdated, dilapidated and in much need of replacement. The problems and concerns: structural integrity, plumbing and electrical infrastructure does not meet safety codes, brick is crumbling, plumbing fixtures are obsolete and layout of interior does not meet current ADA standards.

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NEW DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

10 Potential Projects

(Please list them in order of priority, 1 being the top priority and 10 being the lowest priority)

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Crown Point Cemetery Improvements



Cost:

Crown Point Cemetery has undergone a major renovation over the past few years but did not include any type of placement for cremains. Cremation and placement of urns is becoming more and more the choice for honoring the deceased. The installation of a Columbarium and cremation boulders and benches would produce cemetery revenues thus compensating the general fund.

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Orchard Mesa Cemetery Columbarium



Cost:

Columbarium Niches, cremation boulders and benches, are used for the placement of cremains to honor the deceased. As proven by sales of the existing Columbarium units, almost sold out, cremation is quickly becoming the burian joption of choice. Funds requested would be used for the purchase of additional Columbarium Niche units, cremation boulders and cremation benches which would produce cemetrery revenues, thus compensating the dark of the control of the contr

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Lincoln Park Pool Second Flume



Cost:

The current tower and catch tank were designed to accommodate a second waterslide which will dramatically increase public excitement and attendance. The additional flume will allow increased use resulting in increased revenue.

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Las Colonias Park Development

Cost:

Park development will continue with middle shelter, riparian restoration, overflow parking, multipurpose/festival area, ponds and wetlands, grass parking, and boat launch phases.

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Redlands Trailrace Whitewater Park



Cost:

A section of the Redlands Tailrace area in the Connected Lakes State Park section of the Riverfront has been identified as a location for a whitewater park.

Community Recreation Center



Cost:

During the development of the Matchett Park Master Plan, the development of a Recreation Center was a reoccurring theme. Grand Junction is currently the only municipality in Colorado of any size that does not have a community recreation center. In addition, the strong private business opposition is not present and is amenable to working with the City to develop partnership opportunities.

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Senior Recreation Center



Cost

The Senior Recreation Center has been in operation in the same facility since the 1970's. Since that time, the basic infrastructure of the building has been declining, Programming, especially for younger seniors, has been difficult given the size and spacing limitations. Parking and access are also major roadblocks for the aging population who utilize the facility. The downtown location is an attractive location next to the library with ample public transportation options, so a complete renovation (or demolition) of the space is warranted.

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Matchett Park Development



Cost:

Upon completion of the master plan in spring/summer of 2014, phasing strategies have developed with priority on infrastructure, the south pond, and the eastern side followed by amenities and athletic venues.

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Kronkright Batting Cage/Pitching Lanes



Cost:

Install upgrades to the complex to include batting cages, pitching lanes, soft toss over a synthetic turf surfacing.

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Tiara Rado Golf Maintenance Building



Cost:

The Golf Course maintenance building will need to be moved and rebuilt in order to expand the Tiara Rado Golf Course parking lot. Parking lot spots are limited and are not suitable for the extensive traffic the course sees during events.

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