



# City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

City Hall  
400 La Crosse Street  
La Crosse, WI 54601

## Meeting Minutes

### Board of Park Commissioners

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Thursday, February 20, 2020

5:30 PM

Common Council Chambers

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#### Call to Order

Board President Paul Medinger called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m. as presiding officer.

#### Roll Call

**Present:** 7 - Paul Medinger, Jim Webb, Roger Christians, Robert Young, Sandy Cleary, Todd Olson, Ashley Skoczynski  
**Excused:** 2 - Marvin Wanders, Eileen Kirsch

#### City Council Members Present

Jessica Olson, Larry Sleznikow, and Barb Janssen

#### Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Christians, seconded by Young to approve the minutes from the January 16, 2020, meeting. The motion carried by voice vote.

#### Agenda Items:

[20-0276](#) Presentation of the Youth Sports Coach of the Year.

No action taken.

#### Motion to Open Public Hearing

A motion was made by Olson, seconded by Young to open the Public Hearing. The motion carried by voice vote.

[20-0277](#) Request to fundraise in Myrick Park on June 5 & 6, 2020, submitted by the Beer by Bike Brigade.

A motion was made by Olson, seconded by Young, that this Request be APPROVED. The motion carried by voice vote.

[20-0278](#) Request to hold a fundraiser walk at Myrick Park Main Shelter & Trail Loop on September 18 & 19, 2020 submitted by the Alzheimers Association and pay total fee's of \$341.23.

**A motion was made by Cleary, seconded by Olson, that this Request be APPROVED. The motion carried by voice vote.**

[20-0280](#) Request to park trailer in Riverside Park May through October and pay fee of \$1,150 submitted by La Crosse Segway Tours.

**A motion was made by Webb, seconded by Olson, that this Request be APPROVED. The motion carried by voice vote.**

[20-0282](#) Request to install the proposed Traffic Circle Pollinator Garden Design at 16th Street and Park Avenue submitted by Holy Trinity-Longfellow Neighborhood Association (HTLNA).

**A motion was made by Christians, seconded by Olson, that this Request be APPROVED. The motion carried by voice vote.**

[20-0284](#) Request to present a suggested comprehensive Recreational Use Plan for La Crosse's Bluffland properties submitted by Sue Knopf.  
(Hixon Forest, Mathy Quarry, Hass property, and Crown Boulevard property)

**Recieved and filed.**

[20-0286](#) Request to create Community Bike Share locations by placing bike racks in Riverside Park North, Riverside Park South, Burns Park, and Cameron Park submitted to the La Crosse Neighborhoods, Inc.

**A motion was made by Christians, seconded by Skoczynski, that this Request be APPROVED. The motion carried by voice vote.**

[20-0285](#) Request to submit resolution allowing Parks, Recreation, and Forestry Department staff to apply for Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources grant.

**A motion was made by Webb, seconded by Christians, that this Resolution be APPROVED. The motion carried by voice vote.**

[20-0283](#) Request to approve the 2020 Municipal Harbor & Harbor Dry Storage Terms, Conditions, Rules, and Agreement.

**A motion was made by Webb, seconded by Christians, that this Request be APPROVED. The motion carried by voice vote.**

[20-0184](#) Update on the 2021-2025 Parks, Recreation, & Forestry budget for Capital Improvement & Equipment Projects.

**No action taken.**

[20-0297](#) Update on the Council Resolution that approved a 30-month lease beginning June 1, 2020 at 1407 Saint Andrew Street as a location for future senior programs.

**No action taken.**

[20-0298](#) Update on Green Island tennis project.

No action taken.

[20-0281](#) Annual Code of Ethics Review

Received and filed.

### **Motion to Close Public Hearing**

A motion was made by Christians, seconded by Webb to close Public Hearing.  
The motion carried by voice vote.

### **Adjournment**

A motion was made by Webb, seconded by Young to Adjourn the meeting at 6:15 p.m. The motion carried by voice vote.

*Notice is further given that members of other governmental bodies may be present at the above scheduled meeting to gather information about a subject over which they have decision-making responsibility.*

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