

CITY OF COOS BAY
MINUTES OF THE PARKS COMMISSION

July 23, 2009

Parks Commission members present: Beverly Meyers, Jon Eck, Chris Coles, Bill Otton,

Not Present: Cindi Miller, Floyd Vandervelden, Nathan Clausen, Patty Scott

Staff present: Steve Doty, Amy Carlson

Guests present: Gene Melton

APPROVAL OF JUNE 11, 2009 MINUTES

Ms. Coles called the meeting to order at 4:06 pm. The June 11, 2009 Parks Commission meeting minutes were unanimously APPROVED.

EASTSIDE PARK PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

Mr. Doty presented commission members with several different playground structures to choose from. The structures can be for ages 2 to 12. There is \$20,000 in the budget for the equipment. The city's Parks crew will prepare the ground and a crew from South Coast Business Employment Center (SCBEC) will erect the structure.

MOTION – Jon Eck – The parks commission is in favor of playground structure #2

SECOND – Beverly Meyers

VOTE - Unanimous

ED LUND RHODODENDRON PLANTS

Mr. Doty explained that the rhododendron plants from the new fire station site were salvaged and transplanted to Ed Lund Park, and most of the plants survived.

COOS BAY BOARDWALK / CITY DOCK UPDATE

Mr. Doty said the city is in the process of getting 7-foot by 2-foot by 2-foot fiberglass dock boxes for boat owners to store personal items, in order to clean up the docks. The cost is anticipated to be around \$12,000.

MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE FOR CHOSHI BRIDGE & WATERFALL

Ms. Meyers stated that the cables at the red bridge have been vandalized. One of her volunteers offered to fix it if the city supplies the parts. She also stated the waterfall is torn apart all the way up to the conduit and would like a maintenance crew to come help with repairs. Mr. Doty suggested having a SCBEC crew help with it toward the end of August. Ms. Meyers offered to supervise and help when the crew works on it.

PARKS COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS

Ms. Meyers noted that the sign at Eastside Park needs to be buffed up.

Mr. Melton asked about moving the port-a-potty at Eastside Park. Mr. Doty stated he thought it would have been done by now. He said Civil West hasn't heard back from Ms. Bear.

Ms. Coles reminded everyone that the Mutt Strutt fundraiser for RSVP is on August 1st. Mr. Doty noted that the pooper scooper dispensers should be installed by then.

After no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 4:32 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Amy Carlson