

City of Baraboo  
Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan Committee  
August 15, 2016 – Minutes

**Present:** Denise Statz, Katie Cowen, Roy Statz, Jen Stewart, Tiffany Sloan, Bekah Stelling & Mike Hardy

The meeting was called to order at 5:00pm, Legal Posting of the Agenda had been met. Motion to approve minutes of the June 13, 2016 meeting made by Franzen, Seconded by Stewart. Motion carried.

**New Business:** Hardy presented a draft 2017-2021 Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan. He noted that the document still needed some re-formatting, but the information needed to be discussed, specifically the projects outlined for completion in the next 5 years. Stelling noted the omission of a Teen Park in the Plan. Hardy asked for the definition of what a Teen Park is. Statz noted that it could include “challenge equipment” like a zipline. Hardy stated that the committee should consider recommending a location for this as well as a location for the proposed splashpad for the Parks commission to consider. Cowen noted that a splashpad should be located in a park with restrooms. Members will bring back recommendations for next meeting.

Discussion continued on condition of the swimming pool locker rooms. Several comments were made on the need for some updates. Hardy noted that those are mainly maintenance updates and would be included in the operating budget. Unless the group was considering a building renovation or addition, the issue did not need to be in the CORP, but it was noted as an area of needed maintenance improvement.

Hardy stated that the group should meet one more time in September to finalize the draft plan, and send to Parks Commission for consideration at their October meeting.

Motion to adjourn by Franzen, second by Statz.

**Next Regular Meeting:** September 19, 2016

Meeting was adjourned at 6:20pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Mike Hardy, Parks and Recreation Director