

Indianola Park and Recreation Commission

March 12, 2025 Meeting Minutes

The Indianola Parks and Recreation Commission held a meeting on Wednesday, March 12, 2025 at 6:00 pm at The Indianola Activity Center. Commission Members present were:

Randy Bickham
Matt Garrett
Marcy Hahn
Judy Pauley
Kathy Turnball

Also present were:

Doug Bylund

Public Consideration/Correspondence

Consent Items

The consent agenda consisting of the following was approved on a motion by Turnball and second by Hahn, unanimous approval.

Approve Agenda

Approve February 12, 2025 Minutes

Support Group Reports

Tree Committee: No Report

Department Heads Reports

Director:

- FY25 and FY26 Budget: Bylund presented a summary of the cuts to facilities and programs for the current fiscal year and the proposed FY26 fiscal year.
- Recreation Report: Spring preparations are underway as we begin to transition to outdoor activities. Teams are practicing at Pickard Park and staff has begun working on the softball fields. The Spring I-Magazine will not be mailed and will be available online only at the end of March. Staff is evaluating software for integration amongst the entire city.
- Parks Report: The opening of restrooms is planned for the week of April 14.
- Sesquicentennial Park Sculpture: Commission Member Pauley shared concerns that consultations for the sculpture repairs should be made with the artist and performed with professional care. There is also concern that the sculpture will be difficult to move and if necessary, with extreme caution.

Commission Member Comments

Next Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for April 9, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. at the Activity Center

It was moved by Turnball and seconded by Hahn to adjourn at 6:55 pm. Unanimous approval.