



**Parks Advisory Board Meeting Agenda  
Tuesday, Sept. 6, 2022  
Meeting Room C – Municipal Building  
Recorded Meeting: yes**

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Richard Heyse            Dhanya Elias            Peter Argentine            Albert Presto  
                                  Rob Mackey            Bennett Aikin            Kelly Ogrodnik

- Mindy Ranney, Commission Liaison
- Rudy Sukal, Staff Liaison
- Phillip Avolio, Staff Liaison
- Tom Starzynski, Junior Board Member

1.     **6:30 PM**     Roll Call & Declaration of Quorum (2 min)
2.     **6:35**         Citizens Comments (5 min / each)
3.     **6:45**         Approval of June minutes; Approval of August minutes
4.     **6:50**         Commission Update (5 min)

5. New Business:

**6:55**            Any Member New Business

Spotted Lanternfly / Tree of Heaven Removal / Municipal rule on Invasives

- Spotted Lanternfly all over Pittsburgh. Lots in Bird Park
- Eichenlaub estimate on cost per tree to treat
- Pick up thread on June/July discussion Municipal regulation – Next steps

6. Old Business / Updates

**7:00**            Member Site Visit Reports:

Twin Hills

Sunset Hills/Brafferton

**7:15**            Parks Master Plan Prioritization: Review next steps.

- Form of input PAB should provide – Mindy / Rudy

**7:20**            Pinecone Park: Update & publicity? - Rob

- October Event?

**7:25**            Capital Improvement plan - Review 2023 Projects (Jan-Dec 2023 planned contract awards) – Focus on Bird Parking Lot Paving

- Review what is projected for award in 2023; Decision timeline; Parks Board input needed – Rudi/Phil
- Bird Park Parking Lot Focused Discussion– Who is sponsor, did justification? Who is lead for project? Need for Traffic Board and School District Involvement - Rudy / Phil

**7:40** Rob on Deer Mgt - Potential to improve cost effectiveness

**7:55** Report on Communications and Signage milestone setting; priority signage: Al & Bennet  
Note: marking of Park boundaries and restored area signage

**8:10** Stormwater Zone Designation Program

- Discuss timing and content of Gateway Presentation on Topic
- EPA Designations – Local Testing to Confirm

**8:20** Maintenance Updates: Phil

- RFP for wooded area contractors - status

Next site visits: Rockwood & Iroquois

**8:30** Adjourn

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