

**Approved Minutes  
Mt. Pleasant Parks and Recreation Commission  
Tuesday, February 27, 2007  
7:00 p.m., City Hall**

- I. **CALL TO ORDER** – Meeting called to order at 7:01 p.m. by Chair Collison.
- II. **ATTENDANCE AND DECLARATION OF QUORUM**
  - A. Members Present: Carlson, Collison, Cooper, Daniels, Frost, & Seaman
  - B. Members Absent: Baumgardner
  - C. Staff Present: Baderschneider, Bundy & Way
  - D. Guests Present:
  - E. Public Attendance: 2
- III. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA/MINUTES.**
  - A. There were no changes made to the agenda.
  - B. Motion by Comm. Seaman, second by Comm. Cooper to approve the minutes of Tuesday, January 23, 2007. **Motion Carried.**
- IV. **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None.
- V. **DEPARTMENT REPORTS**
  - A. **Parks:** Recently submitted 2% requests submitted to the Tribe include Oak Street bridge replacement, tree spade attachment and personal protection equipment for seasonal staff, which includes rain gear, etc. for inclement weather. Capital improvements submitted will be included in next commission packet. Staff Baderschneider and Weaver recently attended the Great Lakes Training Institute in Angola, Indiana. Staff working on maintenance management program mapping assets. Comm. Daniels asked if there is a sign posted at Mission Creek stating why park is closed. Staff explained signage for hill being closed for icy and unsafe conditions.
  - B. **Recreation:** Summer program registration night was held last night with 9 agencies participating. Other ongoing programs include youth and adult basketball, bowling, and learn to skate hockey. Upcoming programs and

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events include Easter egg hunt March 31<sup>st</sup> at Finch Fieldhouse and Earth Day Celebration on April 21<sup>st</sup> at Island Park. Daddy Daughter Date Night set a new attendance record at 1,060. PEAK staff has received training on lockdown procedures at the schools. Each site coordinator is a member of the schools' B.E.R.T. team (Building Emergency Response Team).

**VI. OLD AND NEW BUSINESS**

- A. A motion was made by Comm. Frost, second by Comm. Cooper to change scheduled March meeting to third Tuesday (the 20<sup>th</sup>) and set public hearing for Michigan DNR Trust Fund and Access Recreation Grant.  
**Motion Carried.**

**VII. OTHER BUSINESS/COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

Comm. Cooper asked staff where we are at in the Park naming procedural process. Comm. Frost has a student group who has an interest in this project. Mr. Baderschneider gave a brief update on Borden project. Staff in the process of putting numerous timelines to the project.

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

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