



Elk Grove Park District Committee of the Whole Meeting Minutes

April 13, 2023

6:30 p.m.

President Cooke called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

In attendance: President Cooke, Commissioner Biedke, Commissioner O'Malley,
and Commissioner Carlson

Absent: Commissioner Walz

Staff: Ben Curcio, Brad Sholes, Tiffany Greene, Mark Kosbab, Kelly Carbon

Visitors: Allan Crites

DISCUSSION ON FITNESS CENTER IMPROVEMENTS

Director Kosbab stated that he worked with Williams Architect to create a plan to remove walls where the offices currently are located to create more space for cardio. The area that the cardio is in now will become the Functional Fitness space. All access members will have access to this space. Director Greene said that based on the comparative analysis the Fitness Center was lacking a Functional Fitness space. Commissioner O'Malley asked for a timeline for this project. Director Kosbab replied that the project likely would not start until August with an estimated completion date of late September.

DISCUSSION ON PICKLEBALL COURTS

Executive Director Curcio met with Matt and Maggie from the Village to discuss a particular area of land. Since it is not large enough for a dog park, they discussed building pickleball courts there. The developer is willing to work with the District and stated they would provide the courts, parking lot and fencing. The consensus of the Board was to move forward with this. Director Curcio added that he thinks we can get lighting for a reasonable cost. All Commissioners were in favor of adding lights there. Director Curcio will put lights in the 2024 Capitals.

NEW BUSINESS

Director Greene said with the recent open position in the Fitness Center, there has been discussion of a reorganization in that area. Currently, there are not many full time staff working evenings and weekends so she would like to create a Recreation Facility Supervisor position. This person would be in charge of Open Gym, and supervise the Security staff. Director Greene is recommending the hours to be Tuesday through Saturday closing shifts with some overlap with the day shift. This person's home base would be the Pavilion but would go to other facilities to assist with some of the safety aspects such as making sure AEDs are up to date. They would also help with room set-ups and be a staff presence during rentals. This person would report to Jeff Collier. With this restructuring, Michael will still be the Fitness Manager and Natsuko will become an Assistant Fitness Manager.

President Cooke would like to see the current organizational charts.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Biedke moved to adjourn the Committee of the Whole meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Commissioner Carlson seconded the motion.

Ayes: Commissioners Biedke, Carlson, O'Malley, and President Cooke

Motion Carried