



**City of Fairview Parks and Recreation Advisory  
Committee**

**March 8, 2012 Meeting Minutes**

**Park View Conference Room, Fairview City Hall  
6:00 pm to 7:15 pm**

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**Present:** Steve Kaufman, Chair  
Barbara Jones  
Don Taylor  
Chuck Cooper  
Steven Marker  
David Strom

**Absent:** Brad Fudge  
Brad Dehle

**Staff:** Lindsey Nesbitt, Senior Planner  
Allen Berry, Public Works Director

**1. Call to Order**

Chair Kaufman called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

**2. Welcome Dave Strom, new Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee Member.**

**3. Discussion Items not on the Agenda (5 min.)**

Chair Kaufman inquired if any persons wished to speak on non agenda items; no one requested to speak

**4. Review & Adopt Minutes: September 8, 2011 and October 13, 2011.**

Steven Marker moved that PRAC approve the minutes. Chuck Cooper seconded.

**5. Heslin House Gazebo Update**

The contract has been awarded to Bryan Green Construction and construction will begin soon.

**6. Salish Ponds Improvement Project- Update**

Staff gave an overview of proposed changes to the Salish Ponds improvement plan. The plan includes the following:

1. Reduce the fishing/viewing areas to 18 spots.
2. Move the existing floating dock to the east pond.
3. Relocate the trail closer to the pond in 2 locations.

4. Install in-water features, such as root wads to deter fishing in the re-vegetated areas (this will also create fish habitat).
5. Re-vegetate along the shoreline with native seed mix.
6. Install new trees and shrubs along the banks and shoreline as the remaining budget allows.

Other project elements include:

1. Resurface and re-grade the existing trails with gravel throughout the park.
2. Install way finding signs and benches. Three of the existing benches along the east pond will be relocated to better viewing locations. New benches will be installed along the east pond.
3. Install two electronic gates (one at Salish Ponds School and one at the Apartments) to allow emergency vehicle access to the park and nighttime police patrol.
4. Fix the existing restroom facility and paint with anti graffiti paint.

Comments from the public were received regarding:

Reduction of areas for fishing.

Lack of parking- and why was parking taken away along Glisan. Discussion was held on allowing drop off and pick up along Glisan Street to accommodate park users who cannot walk the distance from the designated parking areas.

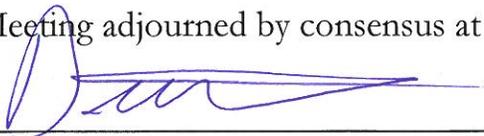
PRAC directed staff to make changes to give better access on the south side of the west pond from Glisan Street.

## 7. Election of Chair and Vice Chair

PRAC elected Steve Kaufman as Chair for another year and David Strom as Vice Chair for the next year.

## 8. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned by consensus at 7:15 pm.



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