



MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING

Castle Rock Parks and Recreation Commission

October 17, 2018

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission was held on October 17, 2018 at the future neighborhood park in The Meadows, Deputy Zack S. Parrish III Memorial Park. Inger Hiller called the meeting to order at approximately 5 p.m.

COMMISSION MEMBERS:

Inger Hiller (Chair)

Brian Glotzbach (Vice Chair)

Michael Waggoner

Jan Meyer

Sarah Grider

Aaron Nagel

COUNCIL LIAISONS:

Mayor Jennifer Green

STAFF MEMBERS:

Jeff Brauer

Jennifer Martin

Mike Kilman (Absent)

Bob Maloney

Jeff Smullen

Brian Peterson

Maia Aman

GUESTS:

None

I. ADDITIONS/DELETIONS/MODIFICATIONS TO THE AGENDA

None.

II. GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY

A ceremony was held to commemorate the commencement of construction of Deputy Zack S. Parrish III Memorial Park. The future neighborhood park will be located in The Meadows near Aspen View Academy Charter School. The 5.5-acre site is planned to include infrastructure for playing pickle ball, bocce ball, cornhole and horseshoes. A playground, picnic shelters, trails and a multi-use field will round out the major amenities

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.





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IV. **PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT UPDATES**

Presented by Parks and Recreation Staff

Jeff Brauer was excited to announce that the Parks and Recreation Department was awarded the National Gold Medal Award for excellence in park and recreation management. The American Academy for Park and Recreation Administration, in partnership with the National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA), awarded this honor to the Town of Castle Rock Parks and Recreation Department during the Opening Session of the NRPA Annual Conference in Indianapolis in September.

The Colorado Parks and Recreation Association also awarded Fitness and Wellness Supervisor Courtney Glass the Young Professional of the Year Award. This honor is given to up-and-coming leaders who demonstrate a strong ability to communicate vision, plan and implement strategic initiatives, develop positive partnerships and positively enhance the lives of community members.

On October 16, Town Council approved a construction contract with Hudick Excavating, Inc. for the development of Phase 5 of the East Plum Creek Trail. Construction will commence in late 2018, with an anticipated October 2019 completion. Council also approved a budget amendment to convert the remaining natural grass baseball fields at Metzler Ranch Community Park to synthetic turf. This project will also commence in late 2018.

V. **COMMISSION COMMENTS**

Commission members congratulated staff for an excellent job in receiving the National Gold Medal Award.

VI. **ADJOURN**

The meeting adjourned at approximately 5:50 p.m.

MOTION: Brian Glotzbach
SECOND: Sarah Grider
Motion passes 6-0

