Prospect Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes, October 13, 2025

Members Present: Sallie Schneider, Doug Farnsley, Lynn Granger, Carolyn Embry, David Holmes, Sofia

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Members Absent: Tina Beavin, John Evans, Linda Wardell,

Others Present: Ron Cundiff

The meeting was called to order at 5:01 pm.

The minutes from the September 8, 2025, meeting were approved as written.

Scout Report

Lynn reported that lumber has been cut, and deck boards will be built to repair the first section of Eagles Way. Lynn hopes to recruit older teens to help haul lumber to the site on Sunday, October 26 starting at 9:00 a.m. After that has been done, he will schedule a crew to assemble the boardwalk. Anyone wishing to help should wear closed-toed shoes and bring a fully charged screwdriver and gloves. They will meet off Fox Harbor Road.

Mayor's Update

Mayor Farnsley reported that the dedication of the Linda Wardell Bridge in Harrods Creek Park was a great event with 30-40 people in attendance. In addition to Mayor Farnsley, former Mayors Todd Eberle and John Evans both made comments commending Linda for all her good work in support of our parks.

Parks Updates

• Sallie Schneider and Lynn Granger have met with two contractors to replace the section of the boardwalk that was lifted and moved approximately 5 feet during spring flooding. After meeting with these contractors, they decided to get additional input from Steve Emly of OHM to make sure all options are considered on how the boardwalk should be rebuilt and/or repaired. Steve has provided a report that will be shared with both bidding contractors. Contractors will have all bids submitted in the next two weeks and then a decision will be made on which contractor will be awarded the job.

Parks Programs

- The second annual Kidzfest in Little Hunting Creek Park is scheduled for Sunday, October 19, weather permitting. Sallie reported that a wide variety of activities have been planned for the event.
- The Trail Bash, organized by Tina Beavin, is scheduled for Sunday, November 23. Signups are already running ahead of last year.

Other Business

- David reported that Abby Potter's mother has suggested a Halloween themed walk for a future year, and she has indicated an interest in chairing such an event.
- The next meeting date is Monday, November 10, at 5:00 p.m. in City Hall.