

MINUTES
GIG HARBOR PARKS COMMISSION MEETING
Wednesday, December 7, 2022 – 5:30 p.m.
Community Rooms

CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL: Chair Ben Coronado called the meeting to order. Commissioners Will Appleton, Les McCallum, Stace Gordon, and Stephanie Lile (via Zoom) were present. Louise Tieman joined the meeting at 5:45 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of the November 2, 2022, Parks Commission meeting were unanimously approved.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Introduction of Parks Manager Jennifer Haro – Jennifer Haro introduced herself to the Commission and spoke about her background in local government.

Naming of Conservation Properties – City Clerk Josh Stecker and Jennifer Haro reported on the process for selecting a name for the newly acquired conservation parcels.

Ancich Waterfront Park Paver Replacement – Jennifer Haro presented a proposal to replace the pavers at Ancich Waterfront Park that name the historic fishing vessels. These would be donated by the fishermen's club. The Commission expressed consensus that the project would be worth pursuing.

Consumption of Alcohol Within Leased Park Facilities – Jennifer Haro reported that the City has been approached by the BoatShop about allowing alcohol in the BoatShop and the Brick House. The Commission expressed consensus that the City should pursue options that would allow licensed alcohol use for special events within leased buildings.

STAFF REPORTS:

1. **Parks Division Update** – Jennifer Haro reported on the un-groundbreaking event for Conservation Property Phase 2 and code revisions to prevent jumping off City docks. Permits will be submitted soon for Phase 1B of the Sports Complex.
2. **City Administration Update** – City Clerk Josh Stecker reported on vacancies on Parks Commission and City Council.

ADJOURN: The meeting adjourned at 6:43 p.m.



Joshua Stecker, CMC
City Clerk