Park Board Meeting Minutes November 4, 2024

The November 4, 2024 Cascade Park Board meeting was called to order by Chairman Rausch at 5:00 p.m. at the Cascade City Hall with Orr, McLees, Manternach and Rausch answering roll.

Motion McLees, second Manternach to approve the agenda – all ayes, motion carried.

Motion Orr, second McLees to approve the meeting minutes from October 7, 2024 – all ayes, motion carried.

Daren Manternach's term on the Park Board expires in December 2024. He will serve another term. Motion Orr, second McLees to recommend to the City Council Daren Manternach for another 5-year term – all ayes, motion carried.

Due to the resignation of Samie Simon, there is a vacancy on the board. The vacancy was advertised and two individuals submitted letters of interest. Colleen Horsfield and Hailey Rausch. Both addressed the board with the reasons they wish to be on the Park board. Motion McLees, second Orr to recommend to Council that Hailey Rausch be appointed to the Park Board due to her being very involved in the dog park and the Oak Hill Playground – all ayes, motion carried. The Board thanked both for being interested.

The next meeting will be Monday, December 2nd. Budget for FY26 will be discussed and discussions on a 5-year maintenance plan for the parks. Water fountains at the parks will also be discussed.

Motion McLees, second Orr to adjourn the meeting at 5:12 p.m. – all ayes, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Deanna McCusker, Interim City Administrator