

HPCC May 21, 2020

Community Zoom Meeting Agenda

Meeting called to order by Stephanie Walsh, President, at 7:03 P.M.

Meeting facilitated by Howard Degenholtz.

There were 62 people who registered for this Zoom Meeting

AGENDA

Zone 5

- Sgt. Maddox Harrison - Presenter
 - There were no thefts in the most recent reporting period, other than a lost license plate that may have fallen off.
 - Officers are very happy with the declining crime rate in the neighborhood and thanked the neighborhood for taking such good care of each other.
 - Because of the increase in the number of people using the park, they are sending more officers to patrol there.

HPCC Updates

- Summer closures / cancellations
 - HPCC:
 - Spring Fling
 - Yard Sale
 - Bryant St. Festival
 - Garden Tour (Garden Club organizing; HPCC sponsoring)
- All closures/cancellations have been posted on the HPCC website and the Listserve.
 - City:
 - Still closed / Closing / Cancelling:
 - July 4 fireworks
 - City-sponsored concerts *NOTE: This includes the Reservoir of Jazz*
 - 5Ks, the Great Race and other races (though they can be held virtually)
 - Runners are advised to check the City /Race websites for status
 - Summer Camps
 - Citiparks summer youth baseball
 - Summer Line Dancing
 - Pistons in the Park
 - Playgrounds, park shelters and spray parks remain closed until further notice (CDC).
 - Some roads in HP – still in planning stage – know HPCC would like the community to have a chance to weigh in
 - Opening / Still open / Allowed

- Drive-in movies (by the Special Events office) *NOTE: We are not yet sure if this includes Cinema in the Park*
- Farmers Markets
- Pickup of bulk trash
- Recycling at Construction Junction
- Tennis courts (singles matches encouraged)
- Pickleball courts (singles matches encouraged)
- Skate parks
- Fields (but not for organized group sports)
- Frisbee Golf
- Lawn Bowling
- Expanded summer food program (likely to begin June 15)
- Mayor announced potential street closures to allow restaurants to expand outdoor seating
- New HPCC Events
 - Chalk-a-Palooza – Scheduled for next weekend (May 30/31) – weather dependent
 - A limited number of chalk packs will be available on a first come first served basis Friday and Saturday, May 29 & 30 at 1315 N. Sheridan Ave. and 5811 Stanton Ave.
 - Porch concerts – Sundays 7 – 8 pm starting May 31
 - Neighborhood musicians are invited to perform on their porches for neighbors and passersby.
 - The goal is to have multiple performances going on every Sunday.
 - A list of performers and their addresses will be posted on the HPCC Facebook pages and list serv.
 - Interested performers can post a message on the HP Helping Hands Facebook page or email HPCCPgh@gmail.com
 - First up on May 31 is Jonathan on the porch at 5811 Stanton Ave.
 - Ways to support our businesses
- Reservoir of Jazz is HPCC's biggest fundraiser - Please join or donate if you haven't yet this year!
- Looking for board members to fill three vacant positions.

PWSA – Reservoir Restoration Update

- **Presenters:**
- Rebecca Zito
- Bradley McShane
- Sarah Bolenbaugh
- Covid - 19 impacts to projects
 - Design projects are up and running
 - Construction projects have been on hold but are starting to be up and running.
 - Project schedules have been pushed back.
- Reservoir Parapet Wall at Highland Park #1
 - Rehabbing wall with road closure

- Now fully demolishing the wall and replacing in its entirety.
- Concrete completion is virtually completed.
- The handrail was removed and cleaned
- They are now resetting the rail; it is halfway completed.
- Cleaning of concrete joints; they are being resealed.
- Restoration of asphalt walkway last work will start on this in late June.
- **Bollard installation**
 - PWSA is working with City DPW regarding maintenance around the bollards.
 - It was agreed that the current configuration is not attractive and they are trying to work out a solution.
- **Rising Main and Pump Station**
 - Are still in the ongoing design phase; have recently completed 60% of the design milestone.
 - In general, contractor bids for the project should go out in fall/winter of this year.
 - Completion of the pump station is estimated to be 24 months.
 - They will do the work the intersection of One Wild Place, Bunkerhill, and N. Negley over one weekends
 - The new pump station will be on land that belongs to the City and leased to the Zoo.
- Replacing the cover and liner for Reservoir #2 with rain pumps will begin in Spring of 2021 and last through the Spring/Summer of 2021.
- Rebecca will forward the electronic presentation to Stephanie for posting on the HPCC website

SCHEDULE

PROJECTS	ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE
Highland I Reservoir Parapet Wall	Estimated Completion: Late July 2020
Retrofitting Base of Bollards	Estimated Completion: Summer/Fall 2020
Restoring Service of the Microfiltration Plant	Based on inspection results. Currently scheduling inspection with Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection
Rising Main and Pump Station	Design Completion: Summer/Fall 2020 Construction: Begins Spring 2021
Replacing Cover of Highland II Reservoir	Design Completion: Summer/Fall 2020 Construction: Begins Spring 2021

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 P.M. by Stephanie Walsh.