Parks and Recreation Commission

August 1, 2007 Fillmore Street Complex Conference Room D 4:00 p.m.

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call: Oppenhuizen

Brown
Gajewski
Kortman
Kuyers
Geerlings
Bosgraaf
Unema
Sabine

3. Absences (excused/unexcused)

Jonas

- 4. Additions/Deletions to Agenda
- 5. Approval of Minutes
 - a) Approve the minutes of the Commission's June 27, 2007 regular meeting.
- 6) Communications:
 - a) Receive July 14, 2007 letter from Katherine Kahl regarding the West Michigan Green Infrastructure Strategy.
 - b) Review comment cards received since previous meeting.
 - c) Review email comments received since previous meeting.
- 7) Public Heard:
- 8) Financial Reports:
 - a) Receive the report of Park and Recreation expenditures through June 30, 2007.
 - b) Receive updated Long-Range Budget Projection (enclosed).

- 9) Staff Reports:
 - a) Director's Report
 - b) Park Operations Superintendent's Report
 - Garlic Mustard Report.
 - c) Park Manager's Report

10) Committee Reports:

- a) Receive the report of the Planning Committee meeting of July 13, 2007.
- b) Receive the report of the Park 12 Advisory Council meeting of July 25, 2007.

11) Old Business

Project Updates

- a) Upper Macatawa Conservation Area
 - Phase II Restoration update.
 - Facility construction update.
 - MDOT mitigation project update.
- b) Park 12
 - Bike path project update.
 - Receive draft list of encroachments.
- c) Nature Center update
- d) Other Business

12) New Business

- a) Receive bids and proposed contract for timber sales on Port Sheldon Natural Area and VanBuren Street dunes.
- b) Approve Community Haven Master Plan (not enclosed).

- c) Receive archery hunter survey responses for the 2006 season at Crockery Creek and Upper Macatawa Conservation Area.
- 13) Public Heard:
- 14) Closed Session to Discuss Property Acquisition
- 15) Next regular meeting date: September 5, 2007 Location: Fillmore Street Complex.
- 16) Adjournment