

March 27, 2023

The Columbia City Park Board met in regular session with the following members present:

Park Board President Keith Nickolson

Park Board Vice President Mark Ellis

Park Board Secretary Karen Koday

Park Board Member Kim Varga

Park Board Member Roger Ferrell

Also in attendance:

Mayor Ryan Daniel

Community Development Director Chip Hill

After reviewing the minutes of the February 27, 2023, meeting, Roger Ferrell made a motion to approve the minutes, which is seconded by Mark Ellis, to accept the minutes as submitted. On the call of the vote, all voted aye.

Chip Hill presented an update that Eagle Park first phase opened for bids today March 27th. Hill announced bids will be due by 4:00p.m. on April 17th. A special meeting to open the bids will be April 17th at 6:30p.m.

Mayor Ryan Daniel stated he is planning to open the application process for the Park Director middle of April. Interviews will be held the middle of May. Mayor Daniel said he is hoping to have someone in that position first part of June.

Mayor Ryan Daniel discussed that with the council, he has been working on instituting a food and beverage tax. Mayor Daniel stated the purpose of the tax would be for future funding of Eagle Park.

The next meeting will be April 24, 2023.

These minutes are respectfully submitted by Andrea Pequignot, Administrative Assistant/
Assistant Program Coordinator Parks Department.