

**PARKS & RECREATION INTERNAL COMMITTEE MEETING
THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 2022 - 2:00 P.M.
ACTION REPORT**

In Attendance: Matthew Quiñones
 Kevin Murray
 Megan Gearhart
 Gloria Montoya

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 2:06 by Matt Quiñones, Chair.
Josie Carpanzano attended meeting.

Consent Agenda

Peggy Erlenkotter - Stamford Girls Scouts of Connecticut - Girl Scout Camporee - Cove Island Park - Overnight Event - Saturday, October 1, 2022 to Sunday, October 2, 2022 from 8:00 a.m. (10/1/22) to 12:00 p.m. (10/2/22) - Set-Up Starts at 8:00 a.m. (10/1/22) and Clean-Up Ends 12:00 p.m. (10/2/22) - 100 Children and 25 Adults.

Kevin Murray made a motion to approve.

Seconded by Gloria Montoya

Unanimously Approved

Special Events

Jose Luis Alvarez - Shucos 502 - Guatemala Independence Day - Jackie Robinson Park - Saturday, September 17, 2022 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. - 60 People will be attending.

- This is a first-time event; more information is needed. Request forwarded to the Parks & Recreation Commission for their approval.

Josephine Fulcher Anderson - Ferguson Library - Request to Park the Ferguson Library Bookmobile at Boccuzzi Park, Cove Island Park, Scalzi Park and Kosciusko Park - Saturday, August 6, 2022 to Sunday, August 6, 2023 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

- More information is needed. Request forwarded to the Parks & Recreation Commission for their approval.

Old Business

No Old Business.

New Business

Chris Babbidge - Permission to Plant Tree in Memory of Loved One - Cummings Park Field (Across from / Opposite Sunny Dae's Ice Cream) on Shippan Avenue Bend.

Kevin Murray made a motion to approve.

Seconded by Megan Gearhart

Unanimously Approved

Cheryl Vukelic - Stamford D.S.S.D. - Permission to Install 3 Little Free Library Boxes at Latham Park, Columbus Park and Kiwanis Park.

Kevin Murray made a motion to approve. The D.S.S.D. will be responsible for the maintenance and replacement of the Library Boxes as needed.

Seconded by Gloria Montoya

Unanimously Approved

Suzanne Laswell - MOMS Club of Stamford - Permission to Install a Little Free Library at West Beach.

Kevin Murray made a motion to approve request pending meeting staff on location for site approval. MOMS Club will be responsible for the maintenance and replacement of the Library Box as needed in coordination with the Parks & Recreation staff.

Seconded by Gloria Montoya

Unanimously Approved

Tournaments

Douglas Edwards - Greater Stamford Pickleball - Pickleball Tournament - 2 Cummings Park Tennis Courts - Saturday, September 10, 2022 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Gloria Montoya made a motion to approve.

Seconded by Kevin Murray

Unanimously Approved

Wilner Joseph - Hoops 4 All Inc. - Middle School & High School Boys & Girls Basketball Tournament and Bookbag Drive - Lione Park Saturday, August 13, 2022 from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Megan Gearhart made a motion to approve.

Seconded by Kevin Murray

Unanimously Approved

Chris Passamano - Stamford High School - Soccer Practice at West Beach - Monday, August 29, 2022 to Friday, November 4, 2022 from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Megan Gearhart made a motion to approve.

Seconded by Kevin Murray

Unanimously Approved

Chris Passamano - Stamford High School - Soccer Practice at Lione Park (for other teams not practicing at West Beach) - Monday, August 29, 2022 to Friday, November 4, 2022 from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Kevin Murray made a motion to approve.

Seconded by Megan Gearhart

Unanimously Approved

David Kimani - Grassroots Tennis and Education Program - Cummings Park Tennis Courts (4) - Monday, September 12, 2022 to Thursday, October 27, 2022 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Kevin Murray made a motion to approve.

Seconded by Megan Gearhart

Unanimously Approved

Motion to adjourn the meeting by Kevin Murray

Seconded by Gloria Montoya

The meeting adjourned at 2:33 p.m.