



**The Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie**  
**Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee**  
**Minutes**

Tuesday, April 1, 2025

4:30 pm

Video Conference

Meetings may be viewed live on the City's Youtube channel

<https://www.youtube.com/user/SaultSteMarieOntario>

Present: J. Flood, T. McClelland, G. Young, A. Gallo, L. Derrer, J. Mogg,  
L. Dufour, K. Murray, S. Morin  
Absent: P. Christian  
Officials: J. Pihelgas, V. Mcleod,

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**2. Adoption of Minutes**

Moved by: J. Flood

Seconded by: T. McClelland

Resolved that Minutes of Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee meeting of February 4, 2025 be approved.

**Carried**

**3. Declaration of Pecuniary Interest**

**4. Adoption of Agenda**

Moved by: J. Flood

Seconded by: J. Mogg

Resolved that the Agenda for Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee meeting for April 1, 2025 as presented be approved.

**Carried**

## **5. Business Arising**

### **5.1 Election of Officers for 2025**

Moved by: T. McClelland

Seconded by: G. Young

Resolved that nominations be open for position of Chair of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee for 2025.

**Carried**

Moved by: T. McClelland

Seconded by: G. Young

Resolved that Jennifer Flood was declared Chairperson of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee for 2025.

**Carried**

Moved by: J. Mogg

Seconded by: T. McClelland

Resolved that nominations be open for the position of Vice-Chair of Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee for 2025.

**Carried**

Moved by: J. Flood

Seconded by: A. Gallo

Resolved that Graham Young was declared Vice-Chairperson for the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee for 2025.

**Carried**

### **5.2 Park Development Updates**

Rosedale Park Grand Opening details are being finalized for May.

Pump track event on May 31st to kick of June's Recreation month will include information on water safety and helmet safety.

Wilcox Park to be revitalized this summer with the possibility of a second park being revitalized.

Esposito Rink shack to be redesigned.

Lighting to be replaced at North Street ball diamond.

New uprights and scoreboard at Rocky DiPietro Field. Queen E B field to be re-graded and installation of proper drainage.

## **7. New Business**

### **7.1 Upcoming Events**

Try A Sport Week to happen during the first week or two of June focusing on more niche sports that are lower cost.

Bike to work week begins June 1.

Park grand openings for Parkland and Westwood Park in mid-June.

### **7.2 Financial Assistance Request**

Moved by: T. McClelland

Seconded by: S. Morin

Resolved that the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee endorse the application by dart players Danielle Parsons, Dayne Sim and David Rowlinson to receive assistance to attend the 2025 Canadian Youth National Darts Championships from May 14 to 19, 2025 in the amount of \$400.

**Carried**

## **10. Adjournment**

Moved by: T. McClelland

Seconded by: J.Mogg

Resolved that this Committee now adjourn.

**Carried**

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Chair