

# The Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee Agenda

Tuesday, May 6, 2025 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm Biggings Room, Civic Centre

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## 1. Land Acknowlegement

I acknowledge, with respect, that we are in Robinson-Huron Treaty territory, that the land on which we are gathered is the traditional territory of the Anishinaabe and known as Bawating. Bawating is the home of Garden River First Nation, Batchewana First Nation, the Historic Sault Ste. Marie Metis Council.

2. Adoption of Minutes 3 - 5

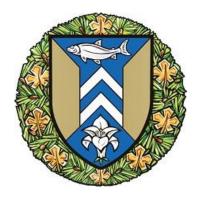
Mover \_\_\_\_\_\_
Seconder \_\_\_\_\_
Resolved that Minutes of Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee meeting of April 1, 2025 be approved.

- 3. Declaration of Pecuniary Interest
- 4. Adoption of Agenda

Mover \_\_\_\_\_ Seconder \_\_\_\_ Resolved that the Agenda for Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee meeting for May 6, 2025 as presented be approved.

- 5. Business Arising
- 5.1 Park Development Updates
- 6. Sub-committee / Task Force Updates

June is Park and Recreation Month
Upcoming Events Pump Track Event Park Grand Openings Try a Sport Week Bike to Work Week
Sport Hall of Fame Selections  Closed Session  Winners to be announced in Fall 2025  Mover Seconder "Resolved that the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee proceed into closed session to debate the merits of the nominees of the Sport Hall of Fame; and Further be it resolved that should the said closed session be adjourned, the Committee may reconvene in closed session to continue to discuss the same matter without the need for a further authorizing resolution. (personal matters about an identifiable individual - section 239(3)(b) Municipal Act)."
Correspondence
Next Meeting June 3, 2025
Adjournment  Mover Seconder Resolved that this Committee now adjourn.



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#### **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

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esolved that this Committee now adjourn.	Carried
	Chair