



Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Minutes

Thursday, May 15, 2014

The meeting was called to order at 6:35pm with the following park board members in attendance:

John Semrau, Chris Allen, Tim Manns, Mike Elde, Mark Dobie, Liz McNett Crowl, and Elizabeth Detillion.

Staff Member Brian Adams and Skagit Fisheries Enhancement employee Sue Madsen

No additions were made to the agenda. The April minutes were passed unanimously.

There were no additional matters raised by the public, beyond issues already on the agenda.

Board Discussion

Pressentin Enhancement Project: Herrera Engineering has been hired to do the engineering. An archeologist is doing the cultural study. The firm is drawing up several alternatives to see if there are suitable opportunities for habitat improvement on the site (for off channel habitat). It's important to the public that we don't compromise the recreational opportunities by creating barriers to sections of the park.

Beaver Creek at HMSP: Several Salmonid species have been captured in Beaver Creek after the enhancement work was completed in 2012. This shows that the project had a level of success. More information will be forthcoming in the years to follow.

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Adjourn

Next Meeting: July 17, 2014