

Bellevue Borough Committee Meeting Minutes

Committee: Parks and Recreation

Date:	11.03.2021	Location: Borough Building
Chair:	Val Pennington	Time: 6:00 pm
Note Taker:	Cindy Bahn	
Members In Attendance:	Val Pennington, Council Glenn Pritchard, Council Jeff Stuncard, Council	
Members Absent:		
Others In Attendance:	Cindy Bahn, DAS Jim Kelly, DPW Superintendent	Bryan Churilla, HRG Engineers Dan Barna, HRG Engineers
Public Contributions on Agenda Items (5 minutes) - Hannah Epton, 147 S. Bryant Avenue: Represents Girl Scout Troop 53314, comprised of 24 members in first through fifth grades. The Troop would like to donate and install a Peace Pole at Bayne Memorial Park. - Tori Rice, 637 Means Avenue: The pole would be 8’ tall with a message of peace in the 8 most common languages spoken in Bellevue, plus braille. - Frances Williams, 460 Dawson Avenue: Noted that the Troop has been selling magazines and nuts for 3 years to raise the funds to do this project. - Collette Dettart, 72 S. Euclid Avenue: Have tentatively identified a location in Bayne Park for the peace pole. - Harper Russell, 8 Sedalia Avenue: The Troop would like to install the Peace Pole in the spring of 2022, with a stone or brick pathway leading to it, a border, and flowers around the Peace Pole - Wendy Blazier, 532 Highland Place: Reported that the water has been shut off at the dog park and requested notice before any changes are made.		
Agenda Items – Reports:		
1	Andrew Bayne Memorial Library; Ellen Goodman, Director Ms. Goodman had nothing to add to her written report.	
2	Bellevue Parks Update; Bryan Churilla, HRG Engineer & Jim Kelly, DPW Superintendent Mr. Kelly reported that the water has been turned off at Memorial Park, as of the end of October and per past practice.	
Unfinished Business:		
1	External Library Repairs Mr. Churilla reported that a request for bids is out, with submissions due November 11, 2021.	
2	Library Hiring Ms. Goodman noted that she included the new position in her 2022 budget request; President Pennington suggested that she work with the solicitor on language changes to the Personnel System.	

New Business:	
1	Veterans Day Activities ▪ The assistant scoutmaster of the local Boy Scout troop noted that November, 2021 represents the 100th anniversary of the installation of the Doughboy Statue in Bayne Memorial Park. Discussion covered the possibility of rolling this observance into the Veterans Day activities. DAS Bahn will reach out to Mr. Cusick to see if the 2 events can be coordinated.
Public Contributions on Non-Agenda Items (2 minutes) ▪ None	

Meeting Adjourned at: 6:32 pm

Next Meeting: January 4, 2022, 6:00 pm (No Committee meetings in December)