

PARK AND RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING
Tuesday, August 12, 2025
Flora Park – Steel Open Air Pavilion (Blue Roof),
2605 Pennsylvania Ave. Dubuque, Iowa 52001

PRESENT: Jennifer Tigges, Robin Kennicker, Ron Axtell, Lori Ollendick,
and Josh Jorgenson

ABSENT: Jason Henkel, Jess Ochoa

STAFF PRESENT: Dan Kroger

CALL TO ORDER: Ollendick called meeting to order at 4:30pm.

MINUTES APPROVED VOTE:

It was moved by Kennicker, second by Axtell, to approve the minutes of the July 8, 2025, meeting. Unanimous.

PUBLIC INPUT:

None

**SOUTH POINTE SUBDIVISION PARK NAMING REVIEW AND
RECOMMENDATION:**

Upon review of the park name submissions, the consensus amongst commission members was that there were no names, other than South Pointe Park, that had a direct connection to the subdivision nor park space. Ollendick commented that the majority of the public tends to refer to/recognize these neighborhood parks by their location. The motion was made by Tigges to name the park South Pointe Park. This was second by Kennicker. Unanimous.

COMPREHENSIVE MASTER PLAN UPDATE:

Staff presented a brief update to the master plan process, highlighting that the online survey will end on Sunday, August 17th. Tigges asked staff if they would still have an opportunity to meet with the consultants as the previous meeting times were cancelled. Staff did let the commission know that the opportunity will be still be available prior to the end of the engagement process.

COMMISSION COMMUNICATION / QUESTIONS:

Axtell asked staff to check and update the park listing on the City's website to include the new neighborhood parks.

ADJOURNMENT:

It was moved by Kennicker, second by Jorgenson, to adjourn the meeting 5:38

p.m. Unanimous.