Riverview Park and Zoo Advisory Committee Minutes

Doris Room

April 8, 2026

Present	Neil Hamilton Alan Ingram Susan Ramey, Vice Chair
Regrets	Scott Baker Sacha Lai-Svirk
Staff	Josh Cutmore, Operations Facilitator Stacy Dedlow, Committee Support Specialist Michelle House, Operations Manager, Recreation and Parks Services Rob McAulay, Director, Recreation Services Heather Stephens, Manager, Recreation Programs and Partnerships Mary Kate Whibbs, Operations Support Manager, Park & Zoo

Call to Order

The Committee Support Specialist called the meeting to order at 5:01 p.m.

Land Acknowledgement

Election of Officer

Vice-Chair

Moved by Neil Hamilton

That Susan Ramey be appointed as Vice Chair of RPZAC for 2026.

Carried

Susan Ramey assumed the Acting Chair position.

Confirmation of Minutes

Moved by Neil Hamilton

That the meeting minutes from March 11, 2026 be approved.

Carried

Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

There were no disclosures of Pecuniary Interest.

Consent Agenda

Moved by Neil Hamilton

That Report RPZAC26-007, Divisional Update is approved on consent.

Carried

Divisional Update, Report RPZAC26-007

That the Riverview Park and Zoo Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report RPZAC26-007 dated April 8, 2026, of the Director, Recreation, Parks and Cultural Services, as follows:

That report RPZAC26-007 be received for information.

Reports

Fountain Update, Report RPZAC26-006

Moved by Neil Hamilton

That the Riverview Park and Zoo Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report RPZAC26-006, dated April 8, 2026, of the Operations Support Manager, Park & Zoo as follows:

That the recommendation be endorsed to proceed with the removal of the existing ornamental fountain feature and replace with a new water feature pending budgetary approval.

Carried

Other Business

There were no items of Other Business.

Next Meeting - May 13, 2026

Adjournment

Moved by Neil Hamilton

That this meeting be adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

Carried

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Stacy Dedlow

Committee Support Specialist

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Susan Ramey

Acting Chair