

1 Minutes of the Centerville City Parks and Recreation Committee meeting held Tuesday, June 17,  
2 2025 at 7:00 p.m. in the Centerville City Hall Conference Room, 250 North Main Street,  
3 Centerville, Utah.

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5 **MEMBERS PRESENT**

6 Sean Hall, Chair  
7 Jeff Lewis  
8 Andy Loosle  
9 Tiffany Rees

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11 **MEMBERS ABSENT**

12 Aaron Getz

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14 **STAFF PRESENT**

15 Haley Turner, Community Services Manager  
16 Connie Larson, Recording Secretary

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18 **MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

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20 Minutes of the May 20, 2025 meeting were reviewed. Andy Loosle made a **motion** to  
21 approve the minutes as written. Jeff Lewis seconded the motion, which was passed by unanimous  
22 vote (4-0).

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24 **RECREATION ACTIVITES**

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26 Haley Turner, Community Services Manager, reported on the various recreation activities  
27 that are taking place this summer with the Recreation Program.

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29 **MOVIES IN THE PARK**

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31 Tiffany Rees said she will help with the July 18<sup>th</sup> Movie in the Park. Sean Hall, Jeff Lewis,  
32 and Aaron Getz will help with the June 20<sup>th</sup> Movie in the Park. Haley Turner will be bringing the  
33 Butterfly House for the pre-movie activity this Friday. The butterflies will be released prior to the  
34 movie. Haley also reported she purchased new speaker stands for the speakers. More volunteers  
35 are needed for the July 4<sup>th</sup> activities from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The pickleball courts will be  
36 opened on July 3<sup>rd</sup>, and volunteers are needed to handout popsicles to the public.

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38 **PARKS MASTER PLAN**

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40 The Committee discussed the Parks Master Plan that was last updated in 2019 by a college  
41 intern, but was never formally approved. The City Council is in the middle of updating the Master  
42 Plan, and their top priority is looking for cemetery property. A recent survey that was mailed to the  
43 citizens asking what their concerns are on open space revealed that the citizens care most about  
44 cemetery and park space. Haley Turner reported the Trails Committee has been working on their  
45 own Master Plan, but she believes the Trails Committee and the Parks Committee should work  
46 together on their Master Plans.

1        Jeff Lewis said he believes the Master Plan on each of the parks has been adjusted for the  
2 better, and that the Freedom Hills Park should not have any changes made to it. He would like to  
3 see a water feature at the Smoot Park, and the Commons Park could be a dog park. Haley Turner  
4 said dog parks are controversial, as most people do not want dog parks next to their home. Tiffany  
5 Rees said she heard a suggestion of a mausoleum in the lower part of the cemetery. Haley Turner  
6 said there is a blank space at the William Smith Park where a home used to be, and it will be part  
7 of the park expansion.  
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9        Sean Hall said he will put the Parks Master Plan into WORD and send it to each Committee  
10 member. The parks that need to be considered are:  
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12        • Commons Park  
13        • Smoot Park  
14        • Smith Park expansion  
15        • Park space for the future  
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17        Committee members are to read the Parks Master Plan and be prepared to discuss it at the  
18 August 12<sup>th</sup> meeting. The goal is to have the Parks Master Plan ready for City Council approval  
19 by the end of 2025.  
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21        **NEXT MEETING**  
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23        The next Parks and Recreation Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 12,  
24 2025 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.  
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26        **ADJOURN**  
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28        At 7:55 p.m., Andy Loosle made a **motion** to adjourn the meeting. Tiffany Rees  
29 seconded the motion, which was passed by unanimous vote (4-0).  
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31        *Jennifer Robison*  
32        Jennifer Robison, City Recorder  
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34        *8-14-2025*  
35        Date Approved  
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37        *Connie Larson*  
38        Connie Larson, Recording Secretary  
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