

## PARKS, TRAILS, AND RECREATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

**Wednesday, March 4, 2026 at 7:00 PM** at 1020 East Pioneer Road, Draper, Utah 84020 in the Administration Conference Room.

1. **Approval of January 7, 2026 Minutes**– Motion by Jason Wiggins, seconded by Keri Brown, to approve the minutes. Motion passed unanimously.
2. **Trailhead Art Piece Proposal** – Trevor Gough presented two options for a welded art pieces of a mountain biker that he is proposing to raise \$20,000 and install one somewhere in Draper. Suggestion from the committee to include plaque with message and possibly tie into the 250 year national celebration. Motion by Doug Ovard to support the proposal. Motion amended by Jamie Pogue to include recommended locations 1. Andy Ballard Arena (option B), 2. Eagle Crest Trailhead (option A), 3. Peak View Trailhead; and to support future installations. Seconded by Geneva Woodmansee. Motion passed unanimously.
3. **Parks and Trails Projects Proposed Budget Request** – Brad Jensen reviewed the current budget requests for parks and trail projects for the upcoming fiscal year. Motion by Geneva Woodmansee, seconded by Jason Wiggins, to recommend the requests as presented. Motion passed unanimously.
4. **Committee/Staff reports**

Councilmember Fred Lowry reviewed the city’s planned activities for the America 250-year celebration, including challenges for residents to hike 1-mile trail loops and planting 250 trees. He welcomed the committee input on potential sites and trail signage. Would like to see a 1-mile trail loop off of Porter Rockwell Trail.

Councilmember Fred Lowry discussed the City Council’s plans to evaluate all the assignments and responsibilities of each of the committees, including the PTR Committee. There is some discussion of having the current PTR Committee become mainly focused on Trails and Open Space, and having a different committee be involved with park development. It was noted that some projects, such as trailheads and larger parks with trails, would still need to come to the “Trails” committee.
5. **Adjournment** - Motion by Jamie Pogue, seconded by Doug Ovard to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

