

1 Minutes of the Centerville City Parks and Recreation Committee meeting held Tuesday, August
2 11, 2026, 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 Andy Loosle
8 Aaron Getz
9 Tyson Creamer
10 Clint Warnick
11 Tiffany Rees

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13 **MEMBERS ABSENT**

14 Brooke Johnson

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16 **STAFF PRESENT**

17 Haley Turner, Community Services Manager
18 Bruce Cox, Parks and Recreation Director
19 Gina Hirst, City Council Liaison
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21 **MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

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23 Minutes of the June 9, 2026 meeting were reviewed. Andy Loosle made a **motion** to
24 approve the minutes as written. Tyson Creamer seconded the motion, which was passed by
25 unanimous vote (6-0).
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27 **MOVIES IN THE PARK UPDATE**

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29 Staff reported that the final Movies in the Park event of the season is scheduled for Friday,
30 August 14, 2026. The film will be *Song Sung Blue*. The event will be preceded by an open mic
31 night at the Woodacre Museum beginning at 7:00 PM, with committee volunteers needed on-site
32 by approximately 8:30 PM. Clint Warnick and Andy Liz Lee confirmed their availability to assist.
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34 Haley Turner provided a recap of the 2026 summer movie series, highlighting several
35 successes: the *Zootopia 2* screening drew over 300 attendees and was paired with a Scales and
36 Tails presentation; *A League of Their Own* was well-received as part of the 4th of July
37 programming; and the Pinewood Derby event held prior to the *Cars* screening drew 40 racers
38 competing across 56 heats, with the fastest car reaching approximately 230 mph on the track. The
39 series was generally regarded as a successful summer program.
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41 One outstanding equipment concern was noted: the sound system requires a new
42 microphone, and one speaker has failed. The Committee discussed having staff look into the
43 replacement cost. A separate issue regarding the overhead lighting timer at the park venue was
44 discussed, with Bruce Cox explaining that the lights had been updated to LED and could now be
45 switched on and off directly; staff committed to updating the switch accordingly.
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4TH OF JULY FOLLOW-UP

Next Steps: Time Capsule (pictures + sealing) & Mural

The Committee reviewed the status of both the time capsule and the community mural, both of which were featured at the 4th of July celebration. The mural was described as a significant success, with community members participating by adding fingerprints and receiving it enthusiastically. The Delahunty's had shared video footage of the event on social media.

Regarding the time capsule, it was confirmed that the capsule has not yet been sealed, as letters from City Council and the Mayor have not yet been received. The Committee discussed a target timeline for sealing, with September identified as a preferred goal, noting that September is Constitution Month and that a City Council meeting presentation could be an appropriate occasion. It was also suggested that the youth council be involved and that a scout troop could be invited to participate in a flag ceremony. Members were encouraged to upload any event photographs to the shared drive, as a thumb drive with digital photos may also be included in the capsule before sealing.

Regarding the mural, no further installation steps were noted as it is already mounted. Outstanding items include finalizing thank-you recognition for the contributing artists.

Thank-You Gifts for Delahunty's and O'Brian Glass

The Committee discussed how best to recognize the Delahunty family and the O'Brian Glass artist (identified as Brandon Crothers) for their contributions to the mural project. Two primary forms of recognition were identified:

Volunteer Dinner: Gina Hirst suggested inviting the contributors to the City's annual Volunteer Appreciation event, anticipated in November, where the Parks and Recreation Committee would have an opportunity to publicly recognize them. This was well-received.

Gift: The Committee agreed that a gift should also be presented in the near term, rather than waiting for the Volunteer Appreciation event. CenterPoint Theatre tickets were proposed as a preferred gift option, given their local significance. Sean Hall agreed to contact CenterPoint to request donated tickets. Tiffany Reese agreed to reach out to Brandon Crothers regarding the gift. It was also discussed that presenting the recognition at a City Council meeting would be a meaningful setting, allowing council members to personally thank the contributors and creating an opportunity to photograph the group for documentation and potential inclusion in the time capsule.

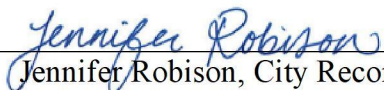
PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN DISCUSSION

1 The Committee discussed the Parks and Recreation Master Plan, which would remain its
2 primary focus for the remainder of the year. Members were asked to thoroughly review the AI-
3 assisted draft and provide written comments and revisions before the next meeting. The Committee
4 also discussed the frequency of reporting to the City Council and generally agreed that one annual
5 work session update and one formal presentation would be more appropriate than the monthly
6 reporting proposed in the draft. Bruce Cox provided an update on the \$40,000 State Outdoor
7 Recreation planning and design grant for a bike pump track. He reported that ESI Engineering had
8 been engaged to develop the design, with completion anticipated by the end of 2026, followed by
9 a potential construction grant application in early 2027. The Committee discussed potential
10 locations near the Randall property, Community Park, and Smith Park, and noted that the project
11 could support the Master Plan goal of providing recreational amenities within walking and biking
12 distance of residents.

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14 The Committee reviewed the community's highest-priority recreational amenities, noting
15 that pickleball courts had been completed, while a water feature and dog park ranked second and
16 third, respectively, and the pump track ranked fourth. Members agreed that the Master Plan should
17 reflect community priorities while remaining flexible enough to take advantage of grant
18 opportunities. The Committee discussed the potential benefits and maintenance challenges of a
19 permanent off-leash dog park and expressed interest in a temporary trial event to gauge community
20 demand. Members also discussed obtaining assistance from an outside consultant to review and
21 finalize the Master Plan. Although previously budgeted funds were no longer available,
22 unallocated RAP Tax funds or remaining Master Plan funds could potentially be used. The
23 Committee agreed to explore the consultant option and discuss potential funding with the City
24 Council.

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26 **ADJOURNMENT**

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28 At 7:56 p.m., Clint Warnick made a **motion** to adjourn the meeting. Tiffany Reese seconded
29 the motion, which was passed by unanimous vote (6-0).
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34 Jennifer Robison, City Recorder

09/08/2026

Date Approved

