

City of Valdez

212 Chenega Ave.
Valdez, AK 99686

Meeting Agenda

Parks and Recreation Commission

Tuesday, March 11, 2025

6:30 PM

Council Chambers

Regular Meeting

REGULAR AGENDA - 6:30 PM

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. [Approval of Parks and Recreation Commission Minutes for January 14, 2025](#)

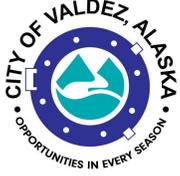
IV. PUBLIC BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR

V. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. [Finalizing Commission Goals to Present to Council](#)

VI. COMMISSION BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR

VII. ADJOURNMENT



Legislation Text

File #: 25-0093, **Version:** 1

ITEM TITLE:

Approval of Parks and Recreation Commission Minutes for January 14,2025

SUBMITTED BY: Lisa Anderson

FISCAL NOTES:

Expenditure Required: N/A

Unencumbered Balance: N/A

Funding Source: N/A

RECOMMENDATION:

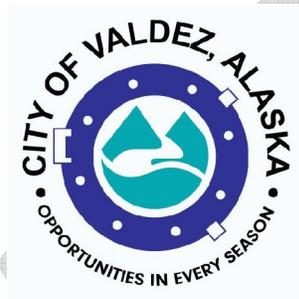
Approve Parks and Recreation Commission Minutes for January 14,2025

SUMMARY STATEMENT:

N/A

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DRAFT- Meeting Minutes

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Parks and Recreation Commission

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

Present 5 – Chair Pro Tempore Pete Carter
Commission Member Benjamin Rush
Commission Member Jeremy Robida
Commission Member Heidi Johnson
Commission Member Aidan Shafland – remote

Excused 1 – Chair Sarah Jorgenson-Owen

Also Present 4 - PRCS Director Ken Wilson
Community Development Director Kate Huber
City Clerk Sheri Pierce

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approval of Parks and Recreation Commission Minutes for December 10, 2024

Minutes were adopted by consent

IV. PUBLIC BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR

V. NEW BUSINESS

1. Disc Golf Course

Director Wilson gave an update on PRCS forward movement for the Disc Golf Course

Nathan Davis provided handouts and expressed the community wish to update the Disc Golf Course.

VI. REPORTS

1. Clerk Sheri Pierce Presentation on Commission Roles and Responsibilities

3. Community Development Director Kate Huber’s Update to Title 16

2. PRCS 2024 Year End Report

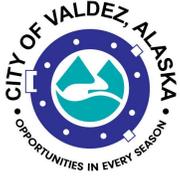
VII. COMMISSION BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR

Commissioner Robida thanked the PRCS employees for the grooming of the trails. Requested to have the rope tow to get moving ASAP.

Director Wilson advised that the tow rope was inspected and ready to go as soon as we get enough snow.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

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Finalizing Commission Goals to Present to Council

SUBMITTED BY: Lisa Anderson

FISCAL NOTES:

Expenditure Required: N/A

Unencumbered Balance: N/A

Funding Source: N/A

RECOMMENDATION:

Finalize Commission Goals to Present to Council

SUMMARY STATEMENT:

N/A

2025 Parks and Recreation Commission Goals

These are the goals proposed by the commission. Our objective is to select no more than ten of them.

- Trail Interconnectivity – 5-10 year phased plan
- Relationships with entities who have easements for possible winter trail use.
- Options for indoor and covered playground places – possible pop-up programs
- Water Trails in Prince William Sound, requires partnership with Alaska State Parks
- ADA compliance with parks and facilities with primary focus on play structures and access.
- Revisit the PRCS vision and mission statements
- Create policy and procedure for the commission
- Enhancing relationships with CSO's that will include pre-season and post-season meetings and an after-action review after the season.
- Optimize a bike to work program and enhance opportunities and community education on bike and pedestrian mobility.
- Develop a Parks and Recreation Commission Trail sub-committee



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