

**City of Uniontown Parks and Recreation Board
Regular Monthly Meeting
Wednesday 6-17-26 5:00 PM
City Hall - 20 N. Gallatin Ave, Uniontown, PA**

Call to Order 5:02 pm

Roll Call

Board member participants:
Wyatt Olson - present
Kelly Trott - present
Arther Hruby - present (virtual)
Mike McClintock - present (virtual)
Jeremiah Farrell - present (virtual)

Additional Participants:
Councilwoman Angela Brown
Erica Engle
Bill Talkington
Brad Trott
Dalton Frederick
Logan Knutt
Christopher Omiors (virtual)
Anthony Mercadanie (virtual)

Pledge of Allegiance

Review and Accept Previous Meeting Minutes

Board voted unanimously to approve minutes from the previous meeting on 5-17-2026.

New Business

The board:

- voted unanimously to table the approval of iWorq signs at parks pending approval from city hall and code enforcement before making signs available to the public.
- discussed possible cancellation of the July 4 market, but decided to continue with the market as planned.
- unanimously voted to approve hosting a face painter for the July 4th market subject to \$20 vendor fee.

Notes:

The board discussed:

- farmers market updates including earned revenue from vendor fees, interest in shed project moving forward to help build a volunteer network, discussion for long term sustainability of the market, and need to replace mat that covers the grate in the parking lot.
- ongoing park maintenance concerns including lack of garbage pickup, unaddressed maintenance items, lack of restroom availability, and safety concerns.
- requests for Bailey Park improvements such as basketball hoops, pickleball, surveillance, lighting, stationary garbage cans, bleacher and bench repair, drainage issues, and removal of hazards.
- request for board to review plans for a possible new playground at Bailey Park.
- plan to inquire with the school district about a portable toilet that was previously at Bailey Park.
- opportunities for park improvements such as availability for placement of two benches, Sheepskin Trail bike rack, Go LH grant, and collaboration with Eagle Scout projects.
- interest in adding non-voting members to the board and plan to seek clarification if non-voting members are required to be city residents.
- possible change in meeting time to best accommodate board members.

Public Comment

Logan Knutt from Justice Works Youth Care commented about collaboration to provide community service hours.
Bill Talkington and Christopher Omiros commented about an arborist taking a look at trees in city parks.
Brad Trott commented about reviewing plans for Science Park at Coal Lick Park.
Erica Engle commented on the funding designated for a new playground at Bailey Park and inquired about how those funds may be used and any associated funding requirements.

Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 6:53 pm. Next meeting is scheduled for 7-19-26 at 5:00pm.