

Arvada Park Advisory Committee Minutes  
July 8, 2009  
Majestic View Nature Center

**Call to Order:** Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM

**In Attendance:** Bob Barber, Mike Foley, Michael Hult, Mike Lee, Tom MacDonnell, Brandon Marette, Larry Medina, Jessica Myklebust, Bill Orchard, Ray Ramelow, Gordon Reusink, Jean Scharfenberg, Larry Wapensky, Carol Whipple

**APEX Representative:** Susan Miller

**Public Comment:** None

**Minutes of APAC Meeting June 10, 2009:** Approved

**Report From Staff:**

Gordon – Water savings \$50K due to rainy June weather

- Fountain Olde Town-solution resolved to meet State swimming pool Standards- opening soon
- Fireworks display (Festivals Commission) successful
- Sustainability- Committee drafted checklist
- Skyline Park (Brandon) no action
- East Side Park – possibility of more land acquisition
- MVNC Garden and trail extension – to be discussed
- Budget Plans (July and August) travel funds cut back
- TLC program- Two Landscape architects hired. \$113,000 of Stimulus funds to be used for Memorial Park
- Ralston Creek washed out by Creekside Park

Mike Lee - Ralston Creek Crossings – One bridge only – need to establish elevation

- Stimulus Funds(86<sup>th</sup> Parkway Trail)- need agreement with CDOT
- RFQ Bike Plan Transit – 60% complete
- MVNC Xeriscape Gardens – in process
- Skyline Park- no update
- Garrison Center – feedback to city council by July 23, 2009
- Stenger Restrooms- City Council to award contract
- Meadowglenn HOA – Plans complete, awaiting funds
- Naming Barn for Bert Gregg- still in process
- Double E park- sod looks good, needs walkways
- Arvada Channel- complete. Needs erosion control plan
- Ralston Creek Trail – joined with Frisbee Golf Park

### **Unfinished Business:**

Volunteer Agreement Form – all APAC members need to complete and submit  
West Arvada Dog Park (Bill, Jean) no report  
Arvada Channel – study session July 13, 2009 City Council  
APEX Meetings – Schedule finalized for 2009. July 16 – Mike Hult, August 6- Jessica Myklebust, August 20- Ray Ramelow, Sept 03- Larry Wapensky, Sept.17 – Tom MacDonnell, Oct 01- Jean Scharfenberg, Oct 15 – Mike Foley, Nov 05 – Carol Whipple, Nov 19 – Larry Medina, Dec 03 – Bill Orchard, Dec 17- Jessica Myklebust

### **New Business:**

Fountain Update – Covered in Gordon's notes  
Pavilion Gazebo Liquor Laws(Jessica/Gordon)- Arvada's Municipal Code to be sent  
To all City Council/Committee/Commission Members  
Arvada Skate Park- GOCO grant fully funded at \$200K

### **ON Going Business:**

Review of subcommittee team roles – updated  
Field Trips – Date set as 29 August, 2009. Meet at Garrison Street Park at 8:00 AM.  
Visit list provided by Bill Orchard – approval at August APAC Meeting  
East Arvada Park – Mike Foley will contact Friends of the Floodplain concerning status  
Sustainability Committee- (1) Stick to projects, (2) Green issues are a priority, and (3)  
Arvada Center focus  
Coyote Awareness- City of Arvada on July 13, 2009 proposed a draft of a Coyote  
Management Plan (extensive) to be sent to all APAC members  
Park/Trail Dedications- awaiting dates from Mike Lee and Brenda  
Transit Stations Team- (Mike Foley, Bill, Jean, Bob, Doug) no report  
Arvada Report Articles(Larry, Bill) – submitted, awaiting approval

### **Upcoming Meetings:**

Breakfast with Gordon: July 30(for Aug) Tom MacDonnell  
APEX : August 6, 2009 – Jessica Myklebust, August 20, 2009 – Ray Ramelow

### **Announcements:**

Farmer's Market – every Saturday 9:00 AM-1:00 PM Olde Town until mid Oct  
July 24,25,26 Shrine of St. Anne Bazaar sale  
July 30, 2009 – Free Concert (The Long Run) 7:00 PM McIlvoy Park  
Aug 01, 2009 – Victorian Tea Party – 11:00 Am – 1:00 PM McIlvoy House  
Aug 07, 2009 – Flicks in the Square (E.T.) Olde Town, 9:00PM or dusk  
Aug 14, 2009 – Flicks in the Square (August Rush) Olde Town 9:00 PM or dusk

Aug 15, 2009 - .5k Endurance Challenge Olde Town

Aug 21, 2009 – Flicks in the Square – (The Bucket List) Olde Town 9:00 PM

Aug 28, 2009 – Flicks in the Square – (Breakfast at Tiffany's) Olde Town 9:PM

Aug 30, 2009 – Hot Time Cool Cars, Arvada Center 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Sept 27, 2009 – Dog Park Festival, 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM (Dog Park)

**Adjourn:** Meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM

Respectfully submitted

Michael Hult