



## NORTH SALT LAKE CITY

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# Parks, Trails, Arts & Recreation Advisory Board Minutes

Tuesday, February 25, 2014

North Salt Lake City Hall

6:00 p.m.

**(Final)**

Attendees: Matt Jensen, Conrad Jacobson, Barry Edwards, Paul Ottoson, Steve Aase, Camille Thorpe, Lori Seppi, Tayler Clough, Michael Ward, Becky Edwards, Laura Brown, Sally Beyer – Minutes

### Topic of Discussion:

- Follow up discussion of Kite Festival.
- Follow up discussion of “Healthy Sandy”.
- Discussion of Trail Signage.

### Minutes:

1. Follow up discussion of Kite Festival.

*Those who took the tour of parks said it was a worthwhile and great excursion to see the different parks in the City. It was mentioned that they would also like to tour the trails.*

*Barry Edwards said he would like to set aside a budget of \$100,000 to do improvements to the Parks. He would like to have the Board inventory some of the problem areas. Some parks that were mentioned were Mathis Park & the Skate Park along with the age of equipment at some of the other parks. Their findings would be taken to the City Council. Matt Jensen said he would like to suggest an informal assignment to take their families and see what they find.*

*Matt Jensen said he is still waiting for 2 recommendations for the Board to be complete.*

*The Kite Festival will be held on Saturday, April 19<sup>th</sup> right after the Youth City Council Easter Egg Hunt. Matt Jensen asked that Board members and volunteers contact different businesses in*

*the City and invite them to participate. A business license list, sorted by retail stores, will be divided and given to everyone involved. There should be between 600-700 kites that should be given out. There was a discussion about the flyer to advertise event. Matt suggested that they contact a local artist(s) to create artwork that they could take and make posters for the different events that North Salt Lake has throughout the year. There were several present that knew artists and would ask. The festival will run 2 weeks and will end May 3<sup>rd</sup> at Tunnel Springs Park.*

2. Follow up Discussion of "Healthy Sandy".

*Taylor Clough reported on what he found out about "Healthy Sandy". He said that on an average 100 people come to the event. They are given a punch card when they sign up and he thinks they are charged \$10.00 a family. The punch card has different physical activities and goes by the point system. There are prizes given from businesses and a speaker at each park with a snack at the end with a closing short speech about health. They run their program from May to September. Mayor Arave suggested the Golf Course be involved with Golf Lessons from the Woods Cross Golf Team and the Eaglewood Pros. It was also suggested that North Salt Lake do a health month in May or June. Sandy City also does a "Walk in the Park" on Monday nights.*

3. Discussion of Trail Signage.

*Paul Ottoson is in the process of labeling trails. There are names of the trails that will be changed and he is waiting on that. It was suggested that there be a map at bottom of the trails & the trails map should be posted on line. Different materials of signs were discussed with Michael Ward showing metal signs by Aero Tech. Barry Edwards talked about signs made with fiber glass. Matt Jensen would like signs with dots that say "you are here".*

*Laura Brown with Salt Lake Children's Theatre was invited to the meeting to show a video of some of the plays that are done. She works with children (3<sup>rd</sup> grade to 15 years old). She has costumes and sound system and there is no cost to the City. They would need to be able to sell concessions. City would have to provide speakers at the City Hall Park.*

*2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Activities –*

*March 9 is a Harp ensemble at City Hall.*

*April Andrea Hughes from North Salt Lake will play her Violin at Eaglewood Club House.*

*May activity not planned.*

**Next meeting will be held on March 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm at City Hall.**

Matt Jensen adjourned the meeting at 7:30 pm.

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Chairman

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Secretary