

City of Lake Geneva  
Board of Park Commissioners – Special Meeting Minutes  
City Council Chambers  
January 25, 2011

Meeting was called to order by Chair Skates at 6:13 p.m.

Members present: Chair Doug Skates, Council Liaison Alderman Mary Jo Fesenmaier, Lynn Hassler, Barb Philipps, John Swanson

Members absent: Dave Quickel, Pat Schroeder, Mayor Jim Connors

Also present: Police Chief Rasmussen, Alderman Mott, Dennis Jordan, Ryan Harris, Sean Cardiff, Timothy Fesenmaier, Richard Hassler, John Hunter, Jeff Miskie for assistance with set up.

Public Input: Meeting was delayed slightly due to technical difficulties logging in to the webinar.

Discussion/Recommendation on Dunn Field Skateboard, including webinar with representatives from Spohn Ranch.

Hays Hitzing, Director of Skatepark Development, of Spohn Ranch Skateparks, via Go to Meeting, presented a possible design for a skateboard plaza and renovations to the existing skateboard park. The design was a medium-range plan of 12,000 square feet total. The plan had no skateable transition from the new plaza to the existing park for safety. A very rough cost estimate was \$400,000 for the plaza and existing park renovation. Materials would be under warranty depending on the type used. Project from start (contract award and design) to finish could run anywhere from 4 to 8 months.

The issues of security (e.g. lights), monitoring (e.g. cameras), and maintenance (e.g. garbage collection, mowing, repair and replacement) were briefly discussed with no definitive decisions. A packet was provided by Winkler with diagrams of the layout of utilities at Dunn Field.

Commission members and the public can view designs of skateboard parks from Spohn Ranch at the City's website: click on City Government in the left hand column, click on Boards and Committees flyout, click on Board of Park Commissioners link.

Motion by Fesenmaier, second by Philipps, to adjourn at approximately 7:10 p.m. Approved unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mary Jo Fesenmaier  
City Council Alderman Dist. 2