

Aquatic Committee Meeting
Thursday September 7, 2017
Washington-Lee pool
Time: 7:00-9:00 PM

AGENDA

- 1. Review of meeting minutes June – Jennifer Lainhart**
Approved with minor edits
- 2. Washington-Lee Annual Pool Walk-Through – Helena Machado**
Pump room: UV light installed Helena explained and walked us through the pump room at Washington-Lee pool.
- 3. Fan Install at Wakefield, UV Install at W-L, Repairs at YT – Helena Machado**
Fan Install delayed due to contractor issues should be installed by Friday.
Repairs at Yorktown contractor issues forced some changes in the closing schedule, improved situation in women's and still working in the men's and family changing rooms. Next week will close for some period of time.
- 4. Senior Water Aerobics**
Is related to the next issue see below
- 5. Pool Parking (Yorktown) – Helena Machado**
Parking is tight everywhere, specifically at Yorktown parking has been enforced heavily due to a customer complaint. Midday specifically is affected. Jen Lainhart working with senior class coordinator Jen Weber and was looking at changes in time of class and encouraging carpooling to participants. W-L and Wakefield are a little better because there are street parking options. May need to revisit in October. In general, need to find a way for these people to get to the pool as they need the water exercise. Helena hopes to strengthen relationship with the resource office who works for Police Dept.
- 6. New high school developments**
Per Helena: Carver center site – no money in budget for a pool currently. There is room on site but unsure of shape/size of it. Helena states APS has not heard loudly enough from community about need for it. Cynthia did attend meetings to advocate for it. Discussion if JFAC and BLPC is the correct place to advocate. Cynthia stated all schools should be equipped with equal commodities. The full HS BLPC is forming and wanted to see if any of the members from this committee would be eligible for it. Or look at letter writing. A lot of discussion between members on the need or desire for a pool to be located at the new high school. The committee could not come to agreement based on current (limited) knowledge of the plans for the new school. A vote was not completed as a few members voiced their concern that not enough information was currently available or known on which to base their opinion.
- 7. Long Bridge Park Update and comment - Jennifer Lainhart**
Jennifer Lainhart shared public details about the current process. Four firms are include in the design competition and public will be able to see designs between 10/19-10/27. Jen will provide link and update next month.
- 8. FY 2017 Aquatic Class Updates – Jennifer Lainhart**
Skipped and pushed to later meeting.
- 9. Discussion about Charter and Membership – Don Hesse**

Don reminded group that we had suggested some edits to the charter, for example updating the chair rotating between APS and County representative. Look at the terms. Choose between appointing and verifying by the board. Don will make updates and send.

Group went Back to # 6 discussion on HS pools

Suggestion was made to come up with some language to vote on so that we could share advocacy for the new HS to have a pool. Discussion around the meaning of a "comprehensive HS" it was suggested that we say Aquatics Committee will support a comprehensive HS (define that term). Someone suggested possible we should support only if the high school has a boundary or zone to serve specific neighborhoods (as opposed to a magnet or auxiliary school that children/parents choose to go to). Ultimately no consensus was reached

Upcoming meetings:

October Dates at Wakefield suggested were 10/24 or 10/26 7-9pm will poll members

November dates suggested at Yorktown were 11/28 or 11/29 will poll members.

After poll 10/26 and 11/28 were selected.