

Pickleball Advisory Committee

MEETING MINUTES

January 22nd, 2024

7:00PM at the CPRD Administration Office

Attend remotely here:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81917744954>

Meeting ID: 819 1774 4954

Board Members include: Mike Kringlen, Nick Konen, Linda Sandberg, Sheryl Greiner, Lance Trantham, Julie Peterson is our staff liaison and Gayle Bizeau is our Board liaison.

Meeting Minutes

1. Meeting is called to order at 7:04PM
2. Roll call
 - a. Lance Trantham and Gayle Bizeau are absent.
 - b. Lance arrived late at approximately 8:00PM
3. Approval of December Minutes
 - a. Moved by Linda, Seconded by Sheryl, approved.
4. Recap and discuss the December 7th CPRD Board Meeting
 - a. Mike spoke at the 12/7 meeting, in which he shared with the CPRD board that we are here to help and our goal is covered, lit pickleball courts in Newberg. This was well received by the CPRD Board.
5. Discuss potential schematics of Jaquith park as a location for covered, lit courts
 - a. Julie shares plans provided to her by Casey Creighton
 - i. CPRD plans to resurface Jaquith Tennis Courts, in which the 12 pickleball courts would be painted back on once complete.
 - ii. Casey plans to budget for a pull-barn style building that would house 6 pickleball courts located directly east of the current tennis court.
 1. Dimensions of the facility would be 60ftx180ft
 - iii. Casey also plans to budget for expanded parking at Jaquith park.
 - iv. Casey plans to propose these in his upcoming budget (due March 1st). The cost of the project is estimated to be around \$750k-\$1 Million.
 - b. Sheryl and Linda suggested a simple covered area next to the courts so people waiting to play would have an area to watch and congregate.
 - c. Mike presents an alternative proposal, also at Jaquith, but larger. The proposal would require moving the current bathrooms, horseshoe pits, and basketball court. Ideally the facility would have indoor restrooms, and an on-staff employee.
 - i. Committee members raise the following concern over Mike's proposal:

1. The cost will be much higher, it goes outside the CPRD property lines, and it would require many infrastructural changes to the park to areas that currently get heavy use.
6. Discussion regarding the goals of the Pickleball Advisory Committee moving forward.
 - a. Julie expresses appreciation for the committee and mentions that our opinions are valued.
 - b. The committee agrees we should continue to meet monthly at least until a project with covered, lit pickleball courts begins to proceed.
7. Open comment period
 - a. Julie mentioned there are plans to build 2 pickleball courts at Renne Park in the future.
 - b. Mike will attend the 1/25/2024 and speak on behalf of Pickleball Advisory Committee
 - c. Linda suggests adding a pickleball/tennis hitting wall at a local park.
 - d. Nick plans to go to Jaquith Park and take some measurements of available land.
8. Meeting adjourned at 8:10PM

The next pickleball advisory committee meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 5th 2024.