

RESIDENT INPUT SUMMARY

2/14/17 to 3/16/17

Old Business

- 11/17 SSSRA staff emailed to request help fixing their flagpole.
 - 11/17 Park maintenance replied that the key will be located, tested to determine if a repair is needed, and previous estimate for a light on the pole will be found.
 - A new key was ordered and received from the flag pole company.
 - Nothing new to report at this time.

New Business

- 2/14 A resident and president of the Tinley Park Garden Club called asking for a group tour of the Nature Center / Interpretive Gardens on June 15. She was notified that I will secure someone to conduct the tour, and provide her with the updated information. I will discuss this matter with Julie Arvia to select an appropriate tour guide.
- 2/16 A resident that was responsible for turf damage at Champions Park behind his home on South Spruce Drive called to discuss the damage and the estimate he received from our landscape contractor.
 - 2/16 He submitted an estimate from his own landscaper.
 - 2/17 I interviewed his landscaper to ensure this would be done correctly. I was convinced and recommended to Jim Randall, Executive Director that we permit the second landscaper to fix the turf damage. He agreed, and I let the neighbor and the landscaper know. They have a July 1 finish date to restore the site with green, healthy turf.
- 2/21 An unsuccessful bidder for the Landscape Services Bid called and left a message asking for more information and how her bid could have been better.
 - 2/21 and 2/22 I left phone messages, and received phone messages from the bidder.
 - 2/23 I emailed: *I am typically in and out all day. What would be convenient for you, and I can call you. I have a meeting today at 8:30 am and 2 pm. I have meetings tomorrow at 10 am and 1 pm. Otherwise I can make time. Please let me know what would be convenient for you.*
I did not hear back from the bidder.
- 2/27 A resident living near Island Prairie Park called asking if he could purchase the easement between his and his neighbors' house to construct a garage.
 - 2/28 I returned the call informing the neighbor that the land was not for sale, and is unbuildable as it is a utility / storm water easement.

- 3/1 Staff reported that there was a trampoline in the Island Prairie wetlands.
 - 3/3 Maintenance moved the trampoline to the curb for the owner to retrieve it.
 - 3/4 Maintenance remove the trampoline from the curb, partially disassembled it, and placed it in the dumpster.

- 3/3 A local disc golf enthusiast called to ask if he and his group could use the Park District's Indian Boundary South disc golf course to attempt breaking attempting to break a Guinness Book of World Records.
 - 3/4 We discussed details, and I let him know that we would be happy to accommodate his request.

- 3/9 The management company for the Plank Trail Homeowners Association called to let us know there is a trampoline in the pond behind some of their homes.
 - 3/10 I located the pond with the trampoline and added it to our 'to do list'.
 - 3/10 I called and left a message with the association management company.
 - 3/13 The weather did not cooperate this week, but it is still on our radar to remove the trampoline, however there is no vehicle access to this pond, so it will complicate the task.

- 3/13 School District 161 called asking if we were plowing and salting school sites. They were informed park maintenance had already been out for several hours, had been through all the school sites once, and were now maintaining drive isles and outer lots. We would be back on the afternoon of 3/13 (after school hours) to plow spots blocked by parked cars – which we did.
 - 3/14 School and park district lots were salted in areas blocked by parked cars the day before.