

MEETING MINUTES
ST. ALBANS CITY TAYLOR PARK MASTER PLAN STEERING COMMITTEE
ST. ALBANS CITY HALL, 100 NORTH MAIN STREET
6:00 PM THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 2017

Approved August 29, 2017

Participants:

Tom Koldys*, Chair
Laz Scangas
Stina Booth*

Stan Bradeen
Lisamarie Charlesworth
Joanie McGinn*

Barbara Weinstein*
Bill Kelley
Kelly Wakefield

(* indicates members of City Parks Commission)

Staff:

Jeff Hodgson, Wagner Hodgson Landscape Architects
Hannah Loope, Wagner Hodgson Landscape Architects
Chip Sawyer, City Director of Planning & Development

1. Open Meeting. Chair T.Koldys opened the meeting at 6:02 PM.

- a. Introductions – Introductions were made.
- b. Discuss additions or deletions to agenda – There were none.

2. Consultant presentation and discussion

The consultants from WHLA made a presentation focusing on programmatic elements and recommendations. See attached.

S. Bradeen asked if the St. Albans Museum had any historic items and visuals to provide design context.

There was general discussion, including extensive discussion on relocation and/or difference roles for the gazebo and Civil War monument to serve a new performance space. There did not seem to be general agreement on any one option, except that the gazebo should probably be relocated.

3. Next steps and next meeting

General consensus to “gel” the wide array of input into option and combination schemes for the Park.

Next meeting to be set for August over email.

4. Other Business.

- a. Approval of minutes.

Motion by S.Booth to approve the minutes of May 9, 2017 as presented. Second by S.Bradeen and approved with all in favor.

5. Public Comment.

There was no other public comment.

Motion by S.Booth to adjourn at 7:41pm. Second by S.Bradeen and approved with all in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,
Chip Sawyer, Minute Taker