

Snyderville Basin Special Recreation District **Board Meeting Minutes**

Thursday, June 16, 2022

Board Room - Trailside Park and Virtual Meeting via Zoom Meeting ID: 857 7918 3389 5715 Trailside Drive Park City, Utah

Board Members in Attendance: Nate Brown, Ryan Bruce, Ben Castro, Brandi Connolly, Len McGee, Larry Moffitt, Carrie Westberg. Board members participated electronically via Zoom and at anchor location.

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Staff Present: Mike Baker, Kelly Isleib, Brian Kadziel, Justine Kadziel, Director Dana Jones, Ben Liegert, Allie Mckinney, Ben Pearson, Michael Versagli, Matt Wagoner. Staff participated electronically via Zoom and at anchor location.

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Attending Guests: Stephan Herrera, Greg Ogden, Jana Quilter, Wade Quilter.

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CALL TO ORDER AND PUBLIC INPUT

The meeting of June 16, 2022, was called to order by Chair Connolly at 6:03 pm.

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Stephen Herrera, Vice President of Pinebrook Master's Association discussed the trails realignment project on the Southeast edge of the Pinebrook neighborhood that would help alleviate overcrowding and congestion on the trails and at trailheads in the Pinebrook community.

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Wade and Jana Quilter from the Trailside neighborhood discussed concerns for the effect on wildlife due to the development of Trailside East Park. The Board and the Quilters discussed the study that was exercised prior to approval for the construction of the Trailside East Park project.

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Chair Connolly closed public input at 6:11 pm.

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REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE 2021 ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

PRESENTED BY GREG OGDEN, CPA 28

> Board members received a staff report from Greg Ogden, CPA in their Board packets prior to the meeting.

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Ogden discussed the 2021 Annual Financial Report, stating that the District operated in a fiscally responsible nature, resulting in positive outcomes outlined through the analysis report. Ogden

- 34 commended the District for a strong recovery from COVID financially. Ogden discussed the
- 35 Statement of Net Position stating that the change in net position was very healthy. Ogden
- 36 provided a brief overview of the Balance Sheet Governmental Funds. Ogden discussed the
- 37 Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet of Government Funds to the Statement of Net Position.
- 38 Ogden thanked District staff for the hard work and the conscious effort to minimize risk.

The Board and Ogden discussed Capital Assets National Standards regarding Government Agencies. The Board thanked Ogden for his hard work and continued service to the District.

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MOTION: To approve the 2021 Annual Financial Report presented by Greg Ogden, CPA [CASTRO / MCGEE] All in favor: Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain: None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

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CONSENT AGENDA

- 1. REQUEST TO APPROVE MINUTES FROM 05/12/2022.
- Chair Connolly corrected the spelling of her name on line 102.

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- 2. REQUEST TO APPROVE THE PRIOR MONTH'S EXPENDITURES.
- The Board and Director Jones discussed the Boom Lift Rentals. The Board and Director Jones discussed the Summit County Kimball Area Transit District Fee.

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MOTION: To approve the two-point Consent Agenda [WESTBERG / BROWN] All in favor: Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain: None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

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<u>DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF PROPOSED 2022 PROPERTY TAX</u> RATES FOR OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE AND DEBT SERVICE

- Director Jones stated that every year the District must enter proposed tax rates in the Certified
- Tax Rate system to be reviewed by the Summit County Auditor, adopted by the Summit County
- 63 Council, and finalized by the Utah State Tax Commission. Director Jones explained that before
- 64 the District can propose rates, the County Auditor must calculate a certified tax rate and revenue
- based on several factors such as current property values, collection rates and new growth.
- Director Jones stated that the 2022 Auditor's certified tax rate revenue for operations &
- 67 maintenance was calculated to be \$6,552,704, generating a certified tax rate of .000412. Director
- Jones explained that the District cannot recommend a tax rate higher than the calculated certified
- tax rate and explained that the tax rate decreased from 2021 due to increasing property values in the District.

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Director Jones stated that the tax rate for Entity 6030, responsible for re-paying four District GO bonds, is proposed to be .000155. Director Jones explained that the tax rate for Entity 6031, responsible for paying the 2015 GO bond, is proposed to be .000106, creating a combined 2022 debt service tax rate proposed to be .000261.

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MOTION: To approve a combined property tax rate of .000673 for 2022 for operations & maintenance and debt service. This rate is estimated to generate revenue of \$6,552,940 for operations & maintenance and \$4,629,631 for debt service. [CASTRO / BRUCE] All in favor:

Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain: None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

<u>DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO THE DISTRICT</u> PERSONNEL POLICIES

Board members received a staff report from Baker in their Board packets prior to the meeting. Baker stated that the District completed the annual review of the Personnel Policy document and presented Board Members with the 2022 revision recommendations for consideration and discussion in the May Board Meeting. Baker explained that the Board provided good input and suggested edits which have been included in the most recent Personnel Policy draft.

 Baker summarized the updates discussed in the May Board Meeting as follows: Inclusion of employee discounts for programs / memberships (page 54), separation of medical records / I-9 documentation / and pre-hire screenings from employment personnel records (page 16), proposed revision of the PTO rollover allowance (staff recommending increasing rollover limits from 100 to 160) (page 41), and elimination of the 3% merit increase option at the end of an orientation period (page 26).

The Board and Baker discussed the orientation period. The Board and Baker discussed revising the effective date. The Board and Baker discussed the suggested PTO rollover allowance policy.

MOTION: To approve the 2022 Personnel Policy revisions and forward a positive recommendation to the Summit County Council for consideration and adoption. [BRUCE / MCGEE] All in favor: Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain: None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF CHANGE ORDERS FOR GREEN LEAF & GROUND SOLUTIONS WEED MITIGATION CONTRACTS

Board members received a staff report from Wagoner in their Board packets prior to the meeting. Wagoner stated that in 2019, the District awarded two multi-year contracts for noxious weed treatment on trails and open space within the district. Wagoner explained that one was awarded to Ground Solutions for \$26,800 annually and the other to Greenleaf for \$20,000 annually. Wagoner stated that each contractor has different capacities and performs treatments in different parts of the District, explaining that both performed well and fulfilled the requirements of their

contracts.

Wagoner stated that this year, the District has observed increased early season growth of target noxious weeds on open space properties. Wagoner explained that this is not specific to any one area and is likely due to the particular patterns of weather and the amount of precipitation this Spring.

Wagoner stated that the District is requesting that the not-to-exceed limit for the contracts be Increased by \$10,000 each, explaining that the additional funding will allow for both more extensive and intensive treatments of noxious weeds on District properties. Wagoner stated that the money will come from funds allocated to perform forestry work in the Aspen grove on the PRI property. Wagoner explained that the USU Aspen Research Project has begun, which is a

- precursor to being able to complete the forestry work, but due to timing it is unlikely to develop
- treatment recommendations before the end of the season. Wagoner stated that the District
- 128 recommends that these funds be reallocated to complete additional weed treatments considering
- the accelerated early season growth.

- 131 The Board and Wagoner discussed the coordination with Summit County, Land Management
- 132 Agencies, and responsible parties for noxious weed treatment. The Board and Wagoner
- discussed the USU Aspen Research Project.

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- 135 **MOTION:** To approve a \$10,000 increase to each of the 2022 not-to exceed
- limits for the noxious weed treatment contracts with Ground Solutions and Greenleaf. [BROWN
- 137 / WESTBERG] All in favor: Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg.
- None Opposed. Abstain: None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

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DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF THE FIELDHOUSE SECURITY

CAMERA CONTRACT

- Board members received a staff report from Isleib, Kadziel and Baker in their Board packets
- prior to the meeting. Director Jones stated that the current security system at the Fieldhouse is
- outdated and does not provide the comprehensive surveillance and security monitoring needs of
- the facility moving forward. Director Jones explained that current shortfalls include low
- resolution cameras that are ineffective at clearly identifying individuals when needed, lack of full
- facility field of views, inadequate audio recording, and an outdated alarm / intrusion system that
- frequently triggers false alarms and cannot be controlled remotely.

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- 150 Isleib explained that the District has been exploring options with multiple vendors over the past 8
- months for bringing the security system (video, audio, intrusion, monitoring, and alarm systems)
- up to modern standards. Isleib stated that proposals and quotations were received, reviewed, and
- discussed with multiple vendors including Bosch Security and Safety Systems. Isleib stated that
- Bosch's presentation and proposal was far more robust in capability and performance. Isleib
- explained that because Bosch is contracted through the State of Utah, the pricing is the most
- competitive. Isleib stated that Bosch partners with local dealers for sales and installation
- explaining that AES Systems out of Springville, UT would complete the installation and training process.

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- 160 Director Jones stated that this purchase is part of the Capital Replacement Budget. The Board
- and Isleib discussed the issues with the current alarm system. The Board and Baker discussed
- 162 how the new system would tie into the fire system. The Board and Baker discussed the contract
- price and terms. The Board and Isleib discussed the capabilities of the Bosch Security and
- Software Systems. The Board and Baker discussed the installation process and timeline.

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- 166 **MOTION:** To approve the Purchase of the Bosch Security and Safety System Proposal as
- presented in the attached quote in the amount of \$99,682.84 and allow the District Director to
- execute the necessary documents relating to this purchase. [MCGEE / MOFFITT] All in favor:
- Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain:
 None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

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172 DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF WILLOW CREEK POND

RENOVATION PROJECT – DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT 173

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- 175 Board members received a staff report from Baker in their Board packets prior to the meeting.
- Baker explained that the Willow Creek Park Pond was constructed nearly 20 years ago for the 176
- primary purpose of holding irrigation water to be used for the Park's sports fields. Baker stated 177
- 178 that over the previous decade the uses of the pond have expanded to include ice skating in the
- 179 winter along with heavy use as a popular Dog Park during the summer. Baker explained that as
- 180 the pond's liner is reaching the end of its useful life and bank erosion issues are resulting in the
- 181 overall aesthetic and functional decline of the area, the District is seeking to address these
- 182 deficiencies as well as enhance the overall utility, durability, and appearance of the pond area for
- 183 all its current uses and user groups.

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- 185 Baker stated that in late 2021 Staff submitted a Summit County RAP Tax Grant Application for
- 186 this project and the District was awarded \$720,000 in funding for this project. Baker explained
- 187 that the District's procurement policy allows for the procurement of architectural, engineering,
- and consulting services up to \$100,000 by direct negotiation after reviewing the qualifications, 188
- 189 experience, and background of a minimum of three firms. Baker stated that based on these
- 190 reviews along with previous project collaboration and experience with Bowen Collins &
- 191 Associates, the District desires to procure BC&A for Design and Construction Management
- 192 Services associated with this project. Baker stated that BC&A have provided a quote in the
- 193 amount of \$44,908 for these services.

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- 195 The Board and Baker discussed the project timeline. The Board and Baker discussed the RAP
- 196 Tax Grant Award. The Board requested a presentation from Bowen Collins and Associates
- 197 regarding the project for the July Board meeting.

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- 199 **MOTION:** To approve awarding a contract for the Willow Creek Pond Improvement Project
- 200 Design and Construction Management Services to Bowen Collins and Associates in the amount
- of \$44,908 and allow the District Director to execute the necessary documents relating to this 201
- 202 purchase. [CASTRO / MCGEE] All in favor: Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee,
- 203 Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain: None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

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DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF 2022 CRACK SEAL / SEAL COAT

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- Board members received a staff report from Gines in their Board packets prior to the meeting. 207
- 208 Wagoner stated that crack sealing and seal coating of the paved trails is an annual trail
- 209 maintenance item that helps to preserve the trail integrity and prolong the life of the asphalt.
- 210 Wagoner explained that this process delays necessary replacement of the asphalt and is more cost
- 211 effective in the long term. Wagoner stated that each trail is on a schedule to be seal coated at
- 212 least every four years, or as needed and all other paved trails are evaluated each year for crack
- 213 seal. Wagoner explained that the trails and parking lots are crack sealed prior to being seal
- 214 coated.

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- 216 Wagoner stated that on May 20, 2022, the District published an Invitation to Bid and received
- 217 bids from five contractors. Wagoner explained that Onsite Asphalt submitted the lowest

responsible and responsive bid for this procurement in the amount of \$60,352.50 and that references confirm that Onsite is a reputable contractor, performing above industry standards on work completed.

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Wagoner discussed the reasoning for different price ranges between bids. Wagoner and the
Board discussed the company that performed the 2021 Crack Seal / Seal Coat for the District.
The Board and Wagoner discussed Onsite Asphalt's qualifications. The Board and Baker
discussed the agreement for this project. The Board and Baker discussed the project scope. The
Board and Wagoner discussed the budget for this project.

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MOTION: To award the 2022 Crack Seal and Seal Coat contract to Onsite Asphalt in the amount of \$60,352.50 and authorize the District Director to execute the necessary documents related to this project. [BROWN / WESTBERG] All in favor: Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain: None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

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<u>DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF CHANGE TO AUTHORIZED</u> SIGNERS FOR THE DISTRICT'S ACCOUNTS WITH ZIONS BANK

Board members received a staff report from Director Jones in their Board packets prior to the meeting. Director Jones stated that as needed, to continue District business, the District must update the individuals who are designated as authorized signers for the District's Zions Bank accounts. Director Jones stated that as Per Chapter 11, Section 3.A.c. of the District's Policies and Procedures, authorized individuals to sign checks include the Board Chair, Board Treasurer, District Director, and Board's designee. Director Jones explained that currently, the District's four authorized signers for Zions Bank accounts are Brandi Connolly, Nate Brown, Dana Jones, and Stacy Carpenter. Director Jones suggested that Mike Baker be added as an authorized signer, replacing District Administrator, Stacy Carpenter who is out on extended leave.

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Director Jones discussed the reasoning behind appointing Baker as an authorized signer. Director Jones discussed the possibility of a special board meeting for the purpose of approving these minutes prior to the July board meeting.

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MOTION: To approve to approve Brandi Connolly (Chair), Nate Brown (Treasurer), Dana Jones (Director), and Mike Baker (Board designee) as authorized signers for the District's Zions Bank accounts. [MOFFITT / WESTBERG] All in favor: Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain: None. Absent: None. Motion carries.

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DIRECTOR'S UPDATE

Board members received a staff report from Director Jones in their Board packets prior to the meeting. Director Jones discussed the District's summer camps. Director Jones commended The Fieldhouse front desk staff for their superior work during the busy summer months. Director Jones discussed the progress of the HR Task force. Director Jones stated that the Trailside Administrative Offices will be closed the last week of June due to the construction of new office

furniture. Director Jones discussed the District's upcoming events. Director Jones discussed the

possible changes to the District's 2022 budget.

The Board and Director Jones discussed the potential uses of the NeoGov system. The Board and Wagoner discussed the final walk through with the State on the Discovery Trail Network. The Board commended the District on the organization and quality of the summer camps. The Board thanked the District Events staff for the success of *Bike to School Day* despite the inclement weather.

UPDATES FROM DISTRICT COMMITTEES

STANDING COMMITTEES:

District Director Liaison & Annual Review Committee: Chair Connolly stated that the committee discussed the Strategic Plan RFP, National Trails Day, and progress on the Trailside East Park project. Chair Connolly stated that the committee discussed having Director Jones attend a City Council meeting for joint trails initiatives. In addition, Chair Connolly stated that the committee discussed the Willow Creek Pond and playground projects as well as committee realignment. Chair Connolly stated that the District is looking into implementing/purchasing a maintenance management program to track dates and provide reminders. Chair Connolly stated that the committee discussed the property in Jeremy Ranch and including that in the Strategic Planning process as well as the Silver Creek property.

Personnel Committee: Did not meet.

Trails Committee: Moffitt stated that the committee discussed the Flying Dog Trail. Moffitt stated that the committee discussed the fact that the trail is Preserve Open Space, and that the District has an agreement with them for use of the trail. Moffitt stated the options for changing the direction and/or implementation of a parallel trail for use. Moffitt stated the committee reviewed the data from the trail counters. The Board requested the committee collect and review data regarding the Pinebrook High Ute Trail.

Open Space Committee: Did not meet.

Parks & Recreation Committee: Bruce stated that the committee discussed The Fieldhouse camera system update and potential to gather data assisting in the prioritization of programs that the District offers such as swim lessons vs lap swimming availability. Bruce stated the committee discussed lifeguard staffing, the aquatics schedule accessibility and potential of acquiring an aquatics director position. Bruce stated the committee discussed the current water restrictions. Bruce stated the committee discussed the Willow Creek All-Abilities playground project updates.

BOSAC (County appointed) – Director Jones stated the committee had a closed session discussing property. Director Jones stated that in open session the committee discussed BOSAC, OSAC, and ESAC.

AD HOC COMMITTEE:

Capital Investment and Strategic Action Plan Committee: Castro stated that the committee discussed the RFP that is scheduled to take place prior to the July board meeting.

Ice Arena Committee: Did not meet.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS AND REVIEW OF ACTION ITEMS

Castro praised The Fieldhouse opening staff on their prompt opening procedures. The Board discussed the *stART of Summer* event. Chair Connolly praised the Recreation Staff for the thoroughness and hard work coordinating camps and kids.

311 At 8:05 pm, Chair Connolly called for a motion to adjourn the meeting.

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- MOTION: To adjourn the meeting of June 16, 2022 [BROWN / BRUCE] All in favor: Brown,
- 314 Bruce, Castro, Chair Connolly, McGee, Moffitt, Westberg. None Opposed. Abstain: None.
- 315 Absent: None. Motion carries.

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356	related to this project. [BROWN / WESTBERG] All in favor: Brown, Bruce, Castro, Chair
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368	Absent: None. Motion carries.
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370	Minutes prepared by Allie McKinney
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