

**Park Commission Meeting  
Borough of Fox Chapel**

Monday, April 12, 2021  
9:00-11:00 AM

***Via Zoom Meeting***

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**Agenda v1.0**

1. Welcome/Opening – Wes
  - a. Welcome to New Commission Member – Ms. Jessie Landron
2. Virtual Sign-In: Commission Members and Guests
3. Minutes of Last Meeting
4. Public/Residents Questions/Comments/Discussion
5. Voluntary Extra Open Meeting? – May 10, 2021, time tbd – Wes
  - a. Can table some topics from today, as appropriate/if needed
6. Annie's Field Project (McCahill)
  - a. Lilliput Houses Update - Steve Whittingham
  - b. McCahill Design/Implementation Status – Jim
  - c. Daisy Girls Flower Planting – Liz
7. Hardie Valley Park Update
  - a. Garden Club of Allegheny County Grant and Implementation – Carrie
  - b. Army Corps of Engineers Study update – Gary
    - i. Precedent study for HVP stormwater study
8. Dogs – What to Do? - Wes
  - a. Mr. Richard Wendell's Letter
  - b. Other Reports
  - c. Law Enforcement Priorities
9. Commission-Sponsored Days of Service – Wes
  - a. Fox Chapel Community Clean-Up (Roads) – April 17, 2021, 10-12 AM, McCahill Park
  - b. Garlic Mustard Pull – May 15, 2021, time tbd, Trillium Trail Park
10. Trail and Park Renaming - Wes
  - a. Council approved
    - i. Eliza Fox Trail
    - ii. Interim Name: Hardie Valley Overlook Trail
      1. Reaffirm? Alternate "Hardie Valley Traverse" or other?

- b. Other formal naming
  - i. Trillium Trail Park or Trillium Park or Ruth Boyles Park (Plaque)
  - ii. Old Squaw Trail Park (!) to “Hidden Falls Park”?
  - iii. Squaw Run Stream – tbd
- 11. Fox Chapel Parks Conservancy – Fund of Community Foundation of the Alleghenies
  - a. December and April events – Alex, Wes, Mandy (?)
  - b. Summer event – tbd – Mandy (?)
    - i. Park Commission Review/Waivers vs. §241-1 Rules and Regulations
  - c. Trail signs
- 12. Public Works report – Dempsey
  - a. Stream Crossings – Riding Meadow Park, Scott Park, plus future
  - b. Park Benches – Plaque issues with new benches
- 13. Park Steward Reports from Walks Taken (Time Permitting)
  - a. Eliza Fox Trail, Beechwood to Hardie Property – Carrie (Jessie going forward?)
  - b. Hardie Property – Mike and Carrie
  - c. Riding Meadow – Susan
  - d. Trillium – Jessica and Jim (fence issue)
  - e. Scott Park and trail bridges – Jim
  - f. McCahill and the Oaks – Liz
  - g. Salamander Park and Trail to O’Hara Park – Wes
- 14. Other Business
  - a. Fox Chapel-O’Hara Township Joint Comprehensive Plan – Wes
  - b. Brilliant Line Project – Aspinwall Riverside Park – Susan/Wes
- 15. Upcoming Meetings/Events
  - a. Fox Chapel Community Clean-Up (Roads) – April 17, 2021, 10-12 AM, McCahill Park
  - b. Visit Hikes – Fox Chapel-O’Hara Township Joint Comprehensive Plan Committee
    - i. April 24, 2021, 1:00 PM – North from McCahill to Beechwood and back
    - ii. May 1, 2021, 1:00 PM – South from McCahill to Allegheny River and back
  - c. Voluntary Extra Open Meeting – May 10, 2021 (PM?)
  - d. Garlic Mustard Pull – May 15, 2021, time tbd, Trillium Trail Park
  - e. Next statutory Commission Meeting – June 14, 2021 at 9 AM
- 16. Adjournment