

## **Minutes of the Newburyport Parks Commission**

**May 6, 2021**

*Via Zoom*

Call to order: 6:06 p.m.

A quorum was present

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In attendance: Kimberly Turner, Paul Swindlehurst, Matthew Ellsworth, Charles Griffin (arriving at 6:30 p.m.)

Also In attendance: Lisë Reid, Michael Hennessey

### *Master Plan review of Atwood Park*

Commissioners reviewed a master plan sketch by Commissioner Turner for Atwood Park including tree replacements, replacement of remaining brickwork with an heirloom garden, walkway replacement with stabilized stonedust, modification of plan to leave no tree where Norway maple was removed along Atwood Street, adding installation of irrigation to Capital Improvement Plan.

**Motion to approve plan as revised when it's available by Commissioner Ellsworth, seconded by Commissioner Swindlehurst. Roll call vote, 3Y with Commissioner Griffin abstaining.**

### *Master Plan review of Joppa Park*

Commissioners reviewed list of tasks to accomplish at Joppa Park. The following items were mentioned, installation of brick, ADA compliant aprons for all benches, completing seawall walkway, replace damaged granite post and restriping of parking lot.

**Motion to approve master plan for Joppa Park with the additions discussed tonight by Commissioner Turner, seconded by Commissioner Griffin. Roll call vote, 4Y**

Adjourned 7:51 p.m.