



**REPORT TO MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL**

AGENDA ITEM

TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR  
AND CITY COUNCIL

DATE: July 8, 2008

SUBJECT: Parks & Recreation Commission Annual Report for 2007/08

**Report in Brief**

The Parks & Recreation Commission is asking Council to receive their Annual Report for 2007/08.

**Background**

The City of Woodland Code Chapter 2, Article VII, Section 2.7-29.11 requires a representative of the Parks & Recreation Commission report to the council during July of each year on work accomplished in the past year. Below outlines the accomplishments of the Commission in 2007/08.

**Recommendation**

Staff recommends that the City Council receive the following Annual Report from John Murphy, Chairman of the Parks & Recreation Commission.

**Accomplishments FY07-08**

▪ **Phase II Woodland Community & Senior Center.**

*Objective:* Construct a new, approximately 7,000 square foot, Fitness & Aerobics building

*Outcome:* In progress, completion scheduled for November 2008

▪ **Woodland Community Sports Park Phase I.**

*Objective:* With the development of the SLSP the City of Woodland is required to build Community Sports Park. SLSP will fund 28.39 acre Sports Park and the remaining 31.61 acres will be funded to the Master Plan Area and Measure E revenue. Advisory Measure "C" for the Community Sports Park Phase I was approved by 69.37 in June 2006. This project includes three (3) lighted synthetic baseball/softball/soccer fields and one soccer only field.

*Outcome:* In progress, completion scheduled for November 2008

▪ **Measure E/Proposition 50 Irrigation Projects.**

*Objective:* Apply for additional funding from Proposition 50 to supplement the Measure E Park Irrigation Project.

*Outcome:* Awarded a Proposition 50 Grant for almost one million dollars (\$960,200).

▪ **Woodland July 4<sup>th</sup> Special Event.**

*Objective:* To provide the City of Woodland an outstanding 4th of July celebration.

*Outcome:* Outstanding 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration and largest pyrotechnical musical fireworks show in Northern California.

▪ **Spring Lake Specific Plan Neighborhood Park #2.**

*Objective:* Spring Lake Specific Plan Neighborhood Park #2.

*Outcome:* Started construction drawings and plan to start construction in Spring 2009.

▪ **Spring Lake Central Park.**

*Objective:* Design Spring Lake Specific Plan Central Park.

*Outcome:* Project was delayed because of the slowdown in home sales

▪ **Urban Forest Master Plan.**

*Objective:* Phase I Urban Forest Master Plan.

*Outcome:* Staff received a grant from the State of California for approximately \$31,000 to Complete Phase I of Urban Forest Master Plan and that will be the tree inventory.

▪ **Plaques at City Parks**

*Objective:* Develop identification/recognition plaques at named City parks.

*Outcome:* Council adopted identification/recognition plan for plaques at Woodland Named Parks. This year the funding and wording for the plaque at Dave Douglas Park is approved and will be mounted this summer. Funding for the Ferns Park plaque is still pending at this time.

▪ **Cemetery Master Plan**

*Objective:* Construction of the Cemetery Master Plan

*Outcome:* Construction of Cemetery Master Plan Phase I is completed and Phase II has started and will be completed in the Spring of 2009.

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