



Carrboro Recreation & Parks Commission Minutes

Date: **June 12, 2023**
 Time: **7:00pm**
 Location: **Virtual via Zoom**

Link: <https://townofcarrboro.zoom.us/j/89553319906?pwd=QXdhOWliaFpHYXUyRjB2WjU0eVp0QT09>

Type of Meeting: Regular Meeting

Members Present: Chris Colvin, Deborah Filer, Maggie Funkhouser, Andrew Kelley, Makeda Ma’at, JG Ferguson (Staff Liaison), Charles Harrington (Staff), Danny Nowell (Town Council Liaison)

Members Absent: Sofia Nyiri, Deon Temne (School System Liaison)

Invitees: Sarah Dickson

AGENDA ITEMS

1.	Call to Order
	Maggie Funkhouser called the meeting to order at 7:03pm.
2.	Introduction of New Members/Invitees
	Prospective member Sarah Dickson was introduced to the commission. Commission members and liaisons introduced themselves.
3.	Approval of Minutes – May 8, 2023 Meeting
	Makeda Ma’at motioned to approve the minutes. Seconded by Chris Colvin. Motion carried.
4.	Communications and/or Speakers from the Floor
	Council Member Nowell provided an update on the advisory board attendance policy and the reinstatement of excused absences provided the Chair is notified in advance.
5.	Introduction of new Director of Recreation, Parks & Cultural Resources, JG Ferguson.
	Ferguson was introduced and provided background on his career and answered questions from commission members.
6.	Other Business/Updates
	Harrington provided updates on upcoming programming including the Freight Train Blues Concert Series, Chapel Hill-Carrboro Juneteenth Celebration, the July 4 th event, and the department’s summer camps.

	Ferguson shared information on the upcoming Town Council work session on the Westwood Cemetery property.
7.	Next Meeting Agenda
	No meeting scheduled for July provided no time-sensitive matters arise. Next meeting scheduled for August 14 at 7:00pm in the Carrboro Century Center.
8.	Adjournment
	Filer motioned to adjourn. Seconded by Drew Kelley. Meeting adjourned at 8:04pm.

If you will be unable to attend this meeting, please contact the Recreation, Parks, & Cultural Resources Department at recparks@carrboronc.gov or 919.918.7364 during normal business hours.

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