

Resolution Number: 26-07-27- 01

Minutes

June 22, 2026

Call to Order:

Ms. Pierce, Commissioner, called the Board of Greene County Parks & Trails Park District Commissioners meeting to order for its regular session on June 22, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. Those in attendance included: Commissioner Rhett Rohrer, Commissioner Charles Frazier, Greene County Administrator Brandon Huddleson, Greene County Parks & Trails Director Richard Kharman, Assistant Director Rick Inman, Chief Ranger Darrell Hannah and Program Specialist Heather Beals.

Approval of Minutes:

Mr. Rohrer made a motion, seconded by Mr. Frazier to approve the minutes from the May 18, 2026 meeting.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Ayes: Rohrer, Frazier and Pierce

Resolution Number: 26-06-22-01

Payment of Expenses:

Mr. Rohrer made a motion, seconded by Mr. Frazier to approve the payment of Miscellaneous expenses of the 0601 Park District Fund.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Ayes: Rohrer, Frazier and Pierce

Resolution Number: 26-06-22-02

Clerk Delegation of Authority Resolution:

Mr. Frazier made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rohrer to approve the delegation of administrative and operational decision-making authority to Mr. Kharman as the clerk of The Greene County Park District Board of Commissioners.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Ayes: Frazier, Rohrer and Pierce

Resolution Number: 26-06-22-03

Easement Creekside Reserve:

Mr. Rohrer made a motion, seconded by Ms. Pierce to approve the request by Sanitary Engineering to provide an easement along the existing sanitary sewer through Creekside Reserve.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Ayes: Rohrer, Pierce and Frazier

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Anderson Property/Old Town:

Mr. Kharman discussed the possibility of purchasing the Anderson Property by Old Town. He has been in contact with the owners and will keep the board updated if there is an option to follow through.

MVRPC Regional Meeting:

Mr. Kharman discussed a meeting that was had with MVRPC about working together to educate about E-Bikes, scooters etc. with their growing popularity. This will include adding signage to the trails throughout each jurisdiction about rules and regulations on the trails and in parks.

Wright Brothers Collaboration:

Mr. Kharman spoke to the board about a collaboration with NPS to put an informational sign at the Narrows in the location that Wilbur Wright visited. This sign would possibly link to the museum and vice versa, to bring museum patrons to the Narrows.

Projects:

Mr. Inman and Mr. Kharman updated the board on the current special projects within the park system.

1. Travertine Fen Adjacent Land: Owner is not interested in selling property but willing to allow research for spotted turtles.
2. Pearl's Fen Update: House demo is being scheduled. Work to be completed would include parking lot work and cleaning out drainage in front.
3. Xenia Wayfinders: Signs are up. Minor changes have happened but it is completed.
4. IMR Cabin Renovation: First phase of renovation to be scheduled in next few weeks. This will include the gutters and repair and relocation of ADA ramp. Second phase to be completed later in the year.
5. Invasive Control: Contracts have been redone for Cemex, Russ and McCalmont. McCalmont will be scheduled to burn this year. Hobson is also being worked on due invasive seeing by trees across the street/neighborhood.
6. Campground Update: Bid phase begins June 16th with hopes to make a decision on the winning bid on July 27th.

Event Updates:

- Mr. Kharman discussed program numbers from the last month.

Other Business:

• **Upcoming Events:**

- Camp Weebalong – June 22nd – 26th
- Beaded Sun Catcher – June 23rd
- Toad-ally Together – Nerf Night – June 23rd
- Leon Day – June 25th
- GTO – Outdoor Adventure Night – June 26th
- Off the Block Party – June 26th
- Herbal Teas – June 27th
- Bowling in the Park – June 30th
- Music in the Park – Bob Colaner – July 1st
- Toddler & Me Hike – Pearl's Fen – July 2nd
- Junior Ranger Academy – July 6th – 10th
- Insect Investigators Camp – July 6th – 10th
- Cake Decorating with Ele – July 7th
- Wobbly Walkers – Frank Seaman – July 8th
- Christmas in July – July 8th
- Art in the Park – July 9th
- Firefly Party – July 10th
- Stained Glass – July 11th
- GC Bike Tour Veteran Suicide Prevention – July 11th
- Babbling Bunnies – July 13th
- EcoLab Camp – July 13th – 17th
- Monster Camp – July 13th – 17th
- Wiggle Worms – Happy Birthday America – July 16th
- Adult Bubble Party – July 17th
- Hibachi in the Park – July 18th
- GrownUps & Me – Little Monsters – July 20th – 24th
- Little Camp in the Big Woods – July 20th – 24th
- Greene Grasshoppers – Water Works – July 21st
- Music in the Park – Bob Ford – July 22nd
- Backyard Cruise-In & Swap Meet – July 25th
- VIP Dance – July 25th



Additional Discussion:

- Ms. Pierce asked for clarification on the park closures. Discussion included the new rule allowing for the Rangers to remove those not engaged in legitimate park activities. Those who have gotten permission for after hour activities will still be allowed, as well as those that are partaking in legitimate park activities.
- Ms. Pierce would love to see the partnership continue for the Flag Day Ceremony.

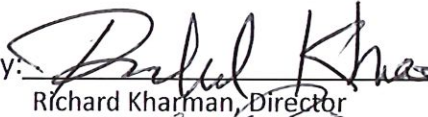
Comments:

Adjourn:

There being no further business to conduct, President Pierce adjourned the meeting at 9:40 a.m. The next regular scheduled monthly board meeting is set for July 27th.

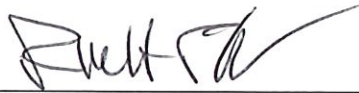
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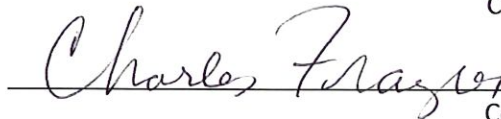

Richard Kharman, Director



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