

The Friends of Guy Mason Recreation Center, Inc.

Board Meeting Minutes: MAY 1ST, 2014

Directors present indicated by "▶"

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Treasurer's Report: Checking \$48,993. Expenses of \$3,540 include \$2,800 to Care of Trees, \$700 to landscaping.

General: Discussed general issues including taxes, records, passwords, mailing lists, donations.

Playground Renovation: Malia reported on questionable equipment choices by designers, including items duplicated from other close by park renovations. Playground items include "cozy cone" igloo house (too small), "spinner" (designers want to keep because of ADA), "buckey spinner" (already exists) is being deleted but it is unique to our park and kids like it, and "space shuttle" (already exists) might be kept if moved and given mulch. Malia talked about email conversations with Brent. DPR has renderings that Malia hopes can be provided for display. Malia also voiced concern about getting the word out about the renovation so that groups can plan accordingly. FOGM agrees that DPR should create and provide "official" signage. Suggestion was made to notify the Gazette.

President: Discussed "big picture" items, including bringing in new people and volunteers and events that FOGM can feature in the park.