



Date of Park and Recreation Advisory Board Meeting: January 2019

To: Park and Recreation Advisory Board

From: Jae Morrison, Streets and Parks Supervisor

Subject: Park updates

Action Requested: PRAB Discussion

Summary Report: Projects completed by the Street & Park Dept.

- **Babcock Park**
 - The Rodeo Grounds were graded and are ready for hydro-seeding
 - Hydro-seeding should take place in the spring
 - The hockey rink has ice
 - Frequent usage and compliments
 - Adjustments were made to the motion-sensors connected to the rink lights
- **Bridge Square**
 - Christmas/Holiday lights were installed mid-November
 - Christmas tree was donated by Eco Gardens
 - Christmas tree decorations were donated and completed by the Rare Pair
 - Hanukah Celebration was held 12/2/18
 - Santa's Workshop was brought in by the Chamber of Commerce
 - Winter Walk was successful
- **Riverside Lion's Park/Veteran's Memorial Park**
 - Repeated graffiti late fall/winter
- **Washington Park/City Hall**
 - Pleasure rink is skate ready and has daily users
- **Jefferson Park**
 - Pleasure rink is skate ready and has daily users
- **Greenvale Elementary School**
 - Pleasure rink is skate ready and has daily users
- **Ice Arena Outside Rink**
 - Hockey rink has good ice
 - Hockey teams have been practicing on this sheet of ice
 - Recreational users also use the ice
- **Waterways/Ponds/Parks**
 - Brush and grasses were cut and mulched in coordination with Water Quality/Eng.
 - Bobcat with a Felco attachment were used
 - 10 full days of work—one staff/operator

- Allows water runoff to flow more efficiently
- Reduces invasive species from being established
- Reduces debris in parks and green spaces
- Allows native grasses and plants to remain natural



Respectfully Submitted,

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