

**Town of Superior**  
**OPEN SPACE ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
**Meeting Notes**  
**July 13 2016, 6:30 PM, Town Hall**

In Attendance: Karen Taylor, Patricia Dunham (Vice-Chair), Ken Lish (Chair), Shawn Samuelson, Matt Morris, Joel White, Ryan Welch. Absent: Jenny Ballew, Tracy Koller (excused). Quorum Present.

Others in Attendance:

Trustee Liaison: Sandy Pennington

Town Staff Liaison: Patrick Hammer

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m.

1. **Discussion and Recommendation** – 5-Year Trails Plan. The Committee discussed the joint PROSTAC and OSAC 5 –Year Trails Plan recommendation. The Committee made the following recommendation unanimously:

OSAC would like to make a recommendation to approve the joint trails plan as adopted by the committees further identifying the trails included in the 2016 expedited trail project.

2. **Presentation and Recommendation** – Superior Town Center Parks 1 and 2\*. Staff gave a presentation of the new concept design plan for the parks. The committee voted for the following recommendations unanimously:

OSAC appreciates the adoption of its previous recommendations for a more Coal Creek centric design. The Committee further recommends that the design for Park 1 and Park 2 is produced with the following considerations:

- Reducing light pollution, installing the lowest light pole height possible, prohibiting lighting past 10 p.m. and investigating the feasibility of level safety lighting along paths
  - Water quality in the creek, and whether there could be health considerations that should be explored further
  - Landscape with plant species that limits the spread of allergens and cotton
  - Adequate seating and resting areas along creek corridor
  - Preservation of Park 1 to remain a non-programmable green space
3. **Discussion** – Equestrian Program. Sean Samuelson discussed the potential event and informed the group that 14 participants could learn about horses in the fall. This item will be continued at the last meeting.
  4. **Updates and Lookahead:**
    - Upcoming Concept Plans. Anderson and Zaharius properties.
    - 4<sup>th</sup> of July Event. The event was bigger than other years with approximately 7000 participants. The Committee liked that their booth was closer to the front. Informal public engagement for expedited trails was conducted and positive feedback was received.

- Jeff and Paige. The program was a success with approximately 250 participants.
- Trail Maintenance Volunteer Project tentative date July 30.