

RESIDENT INPUT SUMMARY

5/18/17 to 6/14/17

Old Business

- 5/15 Boy Scout Troop 237 called to reschedule the Super Scout Clean Up (cancelled due to severe weather).
 - 5/16 Rescheduling this event, as well as other service projects for the boys to earn their Ecology Badges for similar service projects was discussed.
 - 6/8 Boy Scout Troop 237 set a tentative date for the rescheduled Super Scout Clean Up in September, 2017.

- 4/27 A Brookside Glen resident called and asked that weed killer be applied to the dandelions along the path through Brookside Glen.
 - 4/28 The resident was called back and provided with an explanation that we were very busy getting baseball fields playable with all the rain. It was further explained that when staff spray for weeds, priorities begin with sports fields, high visibility areas, and then further down the list would be the area along his path. The resident was assured that his concern would put it at a higher priority than other areas.
 - 6/7 Received email from the resident, expressing appreciation for the weed killer application, stating that the area was looking much better. He also requested that a “Clean Up After Your Dog” sign be placed along the path behind his town home, and park staff notified the resident that a sign would be installed as time permitted.

New Business

- 5/20 Many positive comments were received from buyers that purchased plants during the Milkweed Sale.

- 5/21 Email received from a Lighthouse Pointe resident, expressing concerns about areas missed during recent mowing.
 - 5/16 Park staff inspected the area and notified the mowing contractor about the missed areas.
 - 5/18 Park staff forwarded a map of Lighthouse Pointe Park that was included in the bid packet, to the mowing contractor, delineating the areas that were missed.
 - 5/23 The mowing contractor returned to mow the missed areas.

- 5/23 A Lake of the Glens resident called asking if any milkweed plants were available following the May 20 sale. She was informed that all plants had been sold.

- 5/25 A Lake of the Glens resident called with concerns regarding the health of pine trees behind his property along the retention pond. Park staff informed the resident that the trees were planted by the developer, and although the Park District would not replace them, it will remove the trees if they die.

- 5/26 Hilda Walker Field Days volunteers called to remind us of their event scheduled for May 30.
 - 5/30 Maintenance staff delivered extra garbage cans, cleaned and unlocked restrooms, and rescheduled ball field dragging until the afternoon, following their event. Restrooms, unlocked for Field Days, were locked up later that afternoon.
 - 5/31 The extra garbage cans were emptied and removed.

- 5/28 A Plank Trail resident notified the District that the pond aerator was not working.
 - 5/31 A service call was requested and the resident was informed of this action.
 - 6/9 The aerator repair was completed.

- 5/31 A Lake of the Glens resident called with concerns about scrubby trees and thicket growing around a basin. Park staff visited the site and communicated the issue to the District's native area contractor.

- 5/31 SSSRA staff requested that some dead landscaping be removed, and Park staff notified the caller that the District would be out early in the following week.
 - 6/7 Maintenance staff removed and replaced dead shrubs, removed a dead tree, and planted flowers.
 - 6/14 Maintenance staff planted additional flowers.

- 6/1 An Island Prairie resident, working on an encroachment issue, called and asked for assistance with an old trailer that was behind her home. The trailer was left behind her garage when she purchased the home.
 - Maintenance assisted the neighbor with the removal of the trailer, and the neighbor followed up a phone call, expressing appreciation.

- 6/5 An Indian Boundary South resident phoned with concerns about the porta pottie at the baseball field that had been repeatedly turned over.
 - 6/9 The porta pottie was moved to the outfield fence and secured with a chain to prevent future issues.

- 6/7 A baseball field user called to let report a potential trip hazard in the Champions Park warning track, as well as light bulbs being out in the field lighting.
 - The rut in the warning track was filled in. Park staff called the coach to inform him that the District's electrical contractor will replace bulbs at Champions and Union Creek.

- 6/8 A member of the Tinley Park Garden Club called to confirm a visit to the Island Prairie Interpretive Gardens on June 15. The District's native area contractor will conduct the tour.

- 6/9 A person using the tennis courts at Lincoln-Way North called to report that bushes around the building should be trimmed and weeds growing around the tennis courts should be sprayed.
 - 6/12 Park staff inspected the area and added tennis courts to the spray list. Bushes will again be added to the upcoming fall schedule.
 - 6/14 Park staff returned the person's call, and a message detailing the follow-up actions was left.

- 6/8 The Cub Scouts requested use of Woodlawn Pond on September 10 for a fishing derby. They were notified that the front desk added their event to the District's calendar.

- 6/11 An Odyssey Park resident emailed and asked that the playground retaining wall be straightened.
 - 5/18 Park staff met with a landscape contractor in regards to several projects at Odyssey, including the playground retaining wall.

- 6/12 A person renting Union Creek front pavilion noted that paper towels were out in the restroom, and the grass was long.
 - 6/12 The grass was mowed as part of the normal mowing schedule.

- 6/13 Tinley Park Police left a voicemail regarding graffiti at Arbor Park.
 - 6/14 Maintenance staff was sent to Arbor Park to conduct graffiti removal.

