



CITY OF TROY BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS
MEETING AGENDA
Tuesday, June 9, 2026
4:00 p.m. – Council Chambers

Call to Order: President – Mr. Emerick

- I. Roll Call:
 - Mr. Emerick
 - Mr. Harrelson
 - Mrs. Anderson

- II. Approve Minutes: May 11, 2026, Board of Park Commissioners Meeting Minutes

- III. Reports:
 - Jeremy Drake, Park Superintendent (Report Attached)
 - Ken Siler, Recreation Director (Report Attached)
 - Tim Grieser, Director of Golf (Report Attached)
 - Mr. Emerick, Planning Commission Report

- IV. New Business:
 - a. Sponsor recognition sign for the Duke Park Playground Surface Turf

- V. Other:

- VII. Adjourn:

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MINUTES – Monday, May 11, 2026 at 4:00 PM
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The meeting was called to order by Mr. Emerick, President.

Members of the Board Present: Mr. Jordan Emerick, President
 Mr. William Harrelson, Vice-President
 Mrs. Mona Anderson, Secretary

Others Attending: City Staff

The minutes of the April 6, 2026, Board of Park Commissioners meeting were approved by unanimous vote, following a motion from Mr. Emerick, seconded by Mrs. Anderson.

REPORTS:

- Park Superintendent, Jeremy Drake, submitted a report (copy attached to original minutes). Mr. Drake noted in the packet was details about possible updates that could be in store in the future at Herrlinger Park. Also, the playground equipment has been installed at Duke Park along with the surface turf. The playground should be open for play by the end of the week.
- Recreation Director, Ken Siler, submitted a report (copy attached to original minutes).
- Director of Golf, Tim Grieser, submitted a report (copy attached to original minutes). Mr. Grieser stated the course is in great shape especially since staff just completed aerification of the course. Mr. Emerick asked how the monthly Miami Shores Advisory Board Meetings were going and Mr. Grieser stated they have been going well but no outside public have attended the meetings.

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Recommending Acceptance of ODNR Grant** – Mr. Drake stated at the December 9, 2025 meeting, Mr. Donnie Knight from US Fish and Wildlife Services presented a project that would take at Duke Park and would be funded by an ODNR Grant through H2Ohio Rivers in the amount of \$482,000.00. This project will result in less TMBA area maintenance, not impact the mountain bike/hiking trail, not impact any of the recent tree plantings, but provide additional unique recreational opportunities including fishing and migratory bird stopover.
It was thought that the grant would be through US Fish and Wildlife Services, however ODOR has now advised that this would be reimbursed to the city. The City would expend the funds and then receive reimbursement through the grant. It is noted that this project was not included in the 2026 budget. A reappropriation would be needed prior to a construction contract being issued.
Mr. Emerick questioned the timeline of this project and Mr. Drake stated it would be completed this year and will not impact any youth sports when the work is taking place.
Mr. Harrelson questioned if the dam removal would have any impact on the project and Mr. Drake stated it wouldn't have any effect.
A motion was made by Mr. Emerick, seconded by Mrs. Anderson to provide a positive recommendation to Troy City Council for acceptance of the H2O Grant Agreement between the City of Troy and the Ohio Department of Natural Resources. MOTION PASSED, UNANIMOUS VOTE

There being no further business, upon motion of Mr. Emerick, seconded by Mrs. Anderson, by unanimous voice vote, the Board adjourned at 4:11 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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- Park staff will be placing merchant flowerpots throughout downtown this week.
- We will begin to look at design concepts and renderings for the new Community Park playground. This project is anticipated to begin in September.
- The Duke Park barn roofs are scheduled to be painted starting June 15th.
- Construction of a new ADA accessible ramp for the rear entrance at the Senior Center has been completed.
- Staff have reviewed nine proposals for the Duke Park redesign project. Interviews will be conducted with the top five consultants beginning next week.
- Park staff hydro-seeded wildflower and pollinator plants seeds on the hillside along Staunton Road at Rose Hill Cemetery. This project was part of the cemetery's 2026 budget to reduce the maintenance required on the steep slope.
- Park staff assisted with Strawberry Festival setup. Staff also assisted with setup and overnight tear down for the America 250 concert.
- Spring soccer has ended for the season. Fall soccer will begin in late August. Baseball and softball will continue through summer and into fall.

CITY OF PARK BOARD MEETING

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ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED BY THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT AT THE PARK BOARD MEETING:

1. Youth Hockey registrations began on April 9th. There are currently 153 participants registered. At this time last year, there were 56 registered.
2. Treasure Island summer concerts will be held as follows:
Saturday, June 20th – Richie & The High Street Rockers.
Saturday, July 4th – Terry Lee Goffee - Johnny Cash Experience.
Saturday, August 1st – Pink Houses – Ultimate Mellencamp Music Experience.
3. Summer Adult Hockey registrations began on April 8th. There are currently 48 registered. The session is maxed out. The session begins June 9th.
4. Upcoming Hobart Arena Events:
 - a. 50th Annual Kathy Slack Summer Skating Competition – June 26-28, 2026.
 - b. Three Dog Night Concert – July 16, 2026.
 - c. EGO Fight Series – August 15, 2026.
 - d. Sesame Street Live! – November 7, 2026.
5. Summer ice began on June 8th.
6. Season pass sales continue. Three Hundred Fifty-four (354) 2026 Troy Aquatic Park season passes plus forty-six (46) grandparents passes have been sold to date.
7. Swim Team registrations began on February 28th. Currently there are 196 registered.

To: Board of Park Commissioners

From: Tim Grieser, Director of Golf

Subject: June 2026 Golf Report

Date: Tuesday, June 9, 2026



- Player Assistant Program (Attached)
- Irrigation Project Update
- Maintenance Items
 - Course is in good shape especially after a wet May.
 - We were closed for back to back Wednesday's and opened the following day for walking in the morning and carts in the afternoon. The course drains very well.
 - The new John Deere fairway mower was delivered.
 - Bunkers on the back nine have been edged with the front nine bunkers scheduled in the next couple weeks.
 - We are trimming the bottom of trees throughout the course above the roof line of the golf carts
- Upcoming list of events
 - Junior Strawberry Festival Tournament (May 17th)
 - Junior Golf Camp (Friday's during the summer)
 - PGA Junior League (Continuous throughout the summer)
 - Drive, Chip, Putt local qualifier (June 19th)
 - Troy City Amateur Championship (June 20th & 21st)
 - Troy Alumni Football Outing (June 27th)
 - Adelyn's Golf Scramble (June 28th)
- Financials (attached)
- Hours of Operation-
 - June
 - Weekday: 7:00 AM - Dusk
 - Weekend: 6:30 AM - Dusk

Miami Shores Golf Course

Volunteer Player Assistant Program



The volunteer Player Assistant Program is designed to enhance the golfer experience at Miami Shores Golf Course by providing on-course support, pace-of-play assistance, and friendly customer service throughout the facility.

This program also offers community members an opportunity to stay engaged in the game while enjoying meaningful volunteer benefits. Volunteers may not be current City of Troy employees.

Position Overview

Player Assistants will serve as ambassadors of Miami Shores Golf Course. They will assist with:

- Monitoring and encouraging pace of play
- Starting players
- Providing course knowledge and assistance to players
- Communicating course conditions or issues to staff
- Supporting the overall golf experience
- Promoting a welcoming and professional environment

Shift Structure

Shifts are six (6) hours in length and are scheduled seven days per week.

Weekdays:

- Morning Shift: 7:00 AM - 1:00 PM
- Afternoon Shift: 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Weekends:

- Morning Shift: 7:00 AM - 1:00 PM
- Afternoon Shift: 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Volunteers may select shifts based on availability and scheduling needs.

Volunteer Benefits

Apparel/Food/Beverages

- Miami Shores staff golf shirt
- Miami Shores hat
- Official name tag
- Fountain beverages/coffee will be included at no charge. Food will be at normal menu price.

Practice Privileges

- Complimentary range balls for personal practice

For each completed shift, volunteers receive:

- One (1) voucher for a complimentary round of golf (cart not included) to be used by volunteer (non-transferrable)
- Voucher issued at the end of each shift
- Voucher must be turned in at time of play
- Voucher will be processed through the register for tracking purposes

Miami Shores Golf Course

Volunteer Waiver

I understand that participation in the Miami Shores Golf Course Volunteer Player Assistant Program involves being present on an active golf course and may include certain inherent risks, including but not limited to:

- Being struck by golf balls or golf clubs
- Operating or riding in golf carts
- Uneven terrain, weather conditions, and outdoor elements
- Interaction with golfers and the general public

In consideration of being permitted to participate in this program, I voluntarily assume all risks associated with my participation.

I hereby release, waive, and discharge the **City of Troy, Ohio**, Miami Shores Golf Course, and all respective officers, employees, agents, and representatives from any and all liability, claims, demands, or causes of action for injury, illness, death, or property damage that may arise out of or relate to my participation in this program, whether caused by negligence or otherwise, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I acknowledge that:

- I am participating on a voluntary basis and am not an employee of the City of Troy
- I am responsible for my own personal health and safety while participating
- I will follow all rules, policies, and instructions provided by Miami Shores Golf Course staff
- I have the physical ability to perform the duties required of this role

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Troy and Miami Shores Golf Course from any claims brought as a result of my actions while participating in the program.

Volunteer Acknowledgment

By signing below, I confirm that I have read, understand, and agree to the terms outlined above.

Applicant Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____

Miami Shores Golf Course
Revenues/Expenses
Through May 25, 2026

Yearly	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Rounds	42,519	44,387	46,709	44,388	11,825
Golf Shop Revenues	\$999,997.22	\$1,099,550.28	\$1,214,769.20	\$1,199,170.63	\$387,999.17
Driving Range Revenues	\$6,976.00	\$33,419.50	\$41,469.50	\$37,234.75	\$8,675.00
Shoreline Revenues	\$185,528.64	\$196,775.33	\$214,937.28	\$211,588.77	\$19,104.62
Total Revenues	\$1,192,502.06	\$1,329,745.11	\$1,471,175.98	\$1,447,994.15	\$415,778.79
Total Expenses	\$1,441,780.33	\$1,355,922.01	\$1,381,122.32	\$1,409,647.95	\$448,330.56

Monthly (2026)	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Rounds	155	357	2062	4725	4526							
Golf Shop Revenues	\$18,354.76	\$33,446.41	\$99,247.71	\$132,118.53	\$104,831.76							
Driving Range Revenues	\$42.00	\$373.00	\$2,475.00	\$5,785.00	\$4,722.00							
Shoreline Revenues	\$5,014.00	\$5,381.25	\$8,709.37	\$22,106.49	\$20,048.64							
Total Revenues	\$23,410.76	\$39,200.66	\$110,432.08	\$160,010.02	\$129,602.40							
Total Expenses	\$67,982.92	\$76,734.54	\$125,525.32	\$178,087.78	\$60,064.38							

Monthly (2025)	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Rounds	3	305	2,806	4,200	6,174	6,793	6,613	7,000	4,784	3,834	1,566	310
Golf Shop Revenues	\$21,840.52	\$35,208.72	\$125,966.31	\$129,818.28	\$156,614.04	\$158,306.59	\$152,460.10	\$164,494.69	\$111,488.66	\$93,430.38	\$35,365.14	\$14,177.20
Driving Range Revenues	\$0.00	\$367.50	\$3,110.00	\$4,065.00	\$5,757.00	\$7,708.00	\$4,668.00	\$5,043.25	\$2,940.00	\$2,181.00	\$636.00	\$87.00
Shoreline Revenues	\$2,809.63	\$4,612.75	\$10,895.25	\$17,164.70	\$28,556.36	\$34,173.99	\$31,083.98	\$33,772.62	\$23,641.63	\$16,034.00	\$6,057.86	\$2,786.00
Total Revenues	\$24,650.15	\$40,188.97	\$139,971.56	\$151,047.98	\$190,927.40	\$200,188.58	\$188,212.08	\$203,310.56	\$138,070.29	\$111,645.38	\$42,059.00	\$17,050.20
Total Expenses	\$61,219.45	\$70,140.83	\$106,523.85	\$98,433.50	\$185,298.35	\$156,453.96	\$166,837.65	\$118,218.32	\$151,186.96	\$133,957.04	\$74,836.26	\$86,542.01

Passes/Memberships	2025	2026
Adult Full	17	12
Adult Pass	45	24
Senior Full	48	51
Senior Pass	91	71
Senior Married	11	9
Young Adult (18-25)	14	14
Junior Full	4	16
Junior Pass	15	12
	245	209



MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Park Commissioners
FROM: Lauren Karch, Communications Coordinator
DATE: May 19, 2026
SUBJECT: Sponsor recognition sign for the Duke Park Playground

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of Park Commissioners approve the purchase of a sponsor recognition sign to be placed at the walkway south of Duke Park Playground.

BACKGROUND:

At the February 9, 2026, meeting, the Park Board accepted two grants totaling \$190,000 from The Troy Foundation and the UVMC Community Benefit Fund for the purchase of playground surface turf for the Duke Park Playground. The turf has been substantially installed, and the logos of the two companies will be inlaid on the turf in the coming weeks. In addition to the inlaid logos, staff recommend the installation of a small sign recognizing both grantor organizations.

A draft of the language, and a proposal from Quint Signs, is attached. The recommended sign is 12.5" x 9.5" and would be installed on a metal stand along the walkway south of the playground. The cost is estimated at \$360.01.

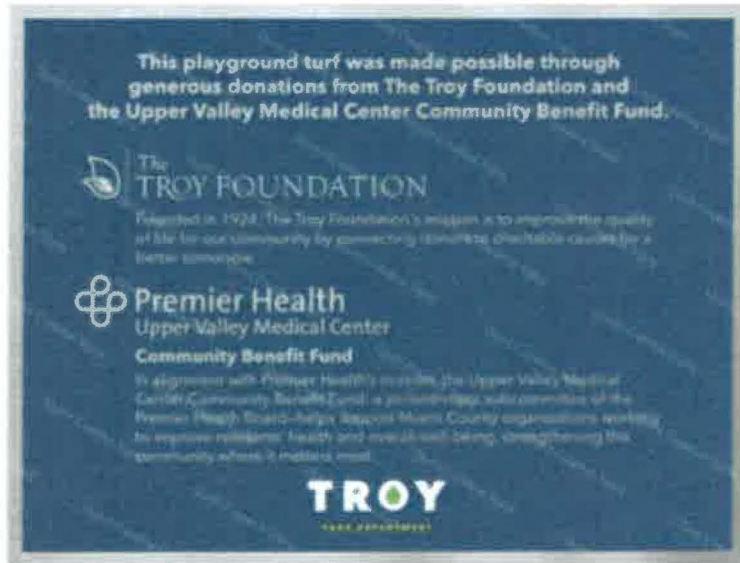
REQUESTED ACTION:

Staff requests that the Board consider the purchase and installation of this sponsor recognition sign.

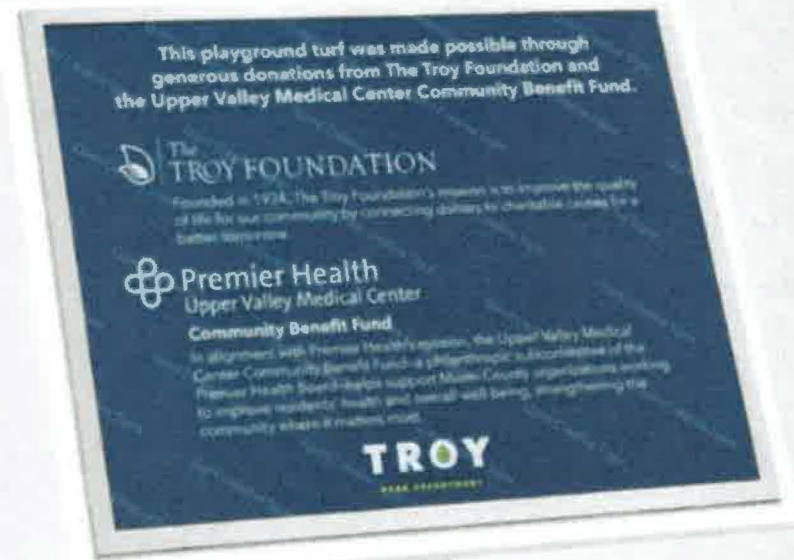


12.5"

9.5"



Printed Brushed Metal Plaque
mounted to Steel Plate
with Steel Post.
Welded Construction



This playground turf was made possible through generous donations from The Troy Foundation and the Upper Valley Medical Center Community Benefit Fund.



The
TROY FOUNDATION

Founded in 1924, The Troy Foundation's mission is to improve the quality of life for our community by connecting donors to charitable causes for a better tomorrow.



Premier Health
Upper Valley Medical Center

In alignment with Premier Health's mission, the Upper Valley Medical Center Community Benefit Fund—a philanthropic subcommittee of the Premier Health Board—helps support Miami County organizations working to improve residents' health and overall well-being, strengthening the community where it matters most.

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