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**PARKS, TRAILS, OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE  
AND TOWN COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA  
MARCH 6, 2018  
5:30 – 7:00 PM  
TOWN HALL**

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*Three or more Council Members are on this Committee and may be present to constitute a Town Council Meeting.*

Committee Present: Jen Coates, Jared Coburn; Council Member, Nick Williams, Doug Canright, Robb Austin, Lois Zeimann, Eric Johnson

- I. Call to Order
- II. Meeting Minutes from September 5<sup>th</sup> and November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017 meeting
- III. Discussion of relocating playground structure from Ouray Weehawken Garden - Jen
- IV. Green Street Park update and GOCO grant status (attachment) - Jen
- V. Request to stripe tennis courts in the Athletic Fields for Pickleball (attachment) – Gordon Reichard
- VI. Adjourn

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PARKS, TRAILS, OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE  
AND TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
JANUARY 9, 2018  
5:30 – 7:00 PM  
TOWN HALL

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*Three or more Council Members are on this Committee and may be present to constitute a Town Council Meeting.*

Committee Present: Jen Coates, Jared Coburn, Doug Canright, Robb Austin, Lois Zeimann

Committee Absent: Eric Johnson Nick Williams

I. Call to Order

*The meeting was called to order at 5:37 pm.*

II. Meeting Minutes from September 5<sup>th</sup> and November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017 meeting

*Jared suggested amending the September 5<sup>th</sup> minutes with grammar changes to the sentence for relocating the trash cans.*

*Lois moved to approve as amended.*

*Jared seconded the motion*

*Robb and Jen voted in favor.*

*November 14<sup>th</sup> minutes*

*Doug motioned to approve.*

*Jared seconded the motion.*

*Jen voted in favor.*

III. Discussion of pedestrian trail in Solar Ranches in the area of 911 Chipeta – Robb Austin

*Robb asked if the town could do anything to provide and work with the property owners to maintain access. The committee discussed access opportunities and determined that there are limited options for a new trail in this location due to the topography.*

IV. Use and function of animal resistant containers – Doug Canright

*Doug presented that some of the containers are being reported as difficult to open. Jen explained efforts to date, including greasing the mechanisms and making sure they are aligned. The committee suggested placing instructional stickers on the container lids, and continue to monitor.*

V. Cottonwood Park irrigation – Doug Canright

*Doug presented that the section of Cottonwood Park east of Lena Street is manually watered and maybe the Town should extend the non-potable under Lena Street to this section of the park. The committee determined this is not a priority.*

VI. 2018 Priorities and Meeting Schedule

*The Committee discussed the following priorities:*

*Green Street Park development*

*Liaison between public requests and the Town Council*

*The Committee agreed to continue to meet every other month on the first Tuesday of the month, with the next meeting scheduled for March 6, 2018.*

VII. Adjourn

*Lois motioned to adjourn at 6:24 pm.*

**From:** GOCO Grantee Portal  
**To:** [mbrannigan@goco.org](mailto:mbrannigan@goco.org); [Jennifer Coates](#)  
**Subject:** Green Street Park - GOCO Staff Recommendation  
**Date:** Sunday, February 25, 2018 12:00:55 AM



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Dear Jen Coates:

GOCO staff and peer reviewers have finished their review of all Local Government applications, and we have forwarded our recommendations to the GOCO Board's Local Government Committee. Please see below for a summary of your project's score, rank, and recommendation.

GOCO received 60 Local Government applications requesting \$16,968,689. With \$5,250,000 to award for these grants, staff will recommend 14 projects totaling \$0.

These recommendations will be reviewed at the Local Government Committee meeting on 3/1/2018. You can find more information about the meeting at <http://www.goco.org/calendar>. If approved by the committee, the recommendation will be forwarded to the full board at its meeting on 3/30/2018. The meetings are open to the public, and you are welcome to attend.

For projects that are not recommended, we would be happy to discuss the project and provide feedback to improve the application for a future submittal.

Recommendation Summary:

Project: Green Street Park

GOCO Staff Score: 82

Average Reviewer Score: 80.5

Overall Score: 81.25

Rank: 25 (out of 60)

Recommendation: Funding Not Recommended

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either Jake Houston at [303.226.4517](tel:303.226.4517) or [jhouston@goco.org](mailto:jhouston@goco.org), or Madison Brannigan at [303.226.4526](tel:303.226.4526) or [mbrannigan@goco.org](mailto:mbrannigan@goco.org).

Thank you for all your hard work.

**Jake Houston**

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**From:** Gordon Reichard  
**To:** [Jennifer Coates](#)  
**Cc:** [Donna Jones](#)  
**Subject:** 2 Additional Pickleball Courts  
**Date:** Tuesday, February 27, 2018 7:51:00 PM

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Jen,

Our Ridgway Pickleball Club would like to request of the town the ability to add lines for two Pickleball Courts on one of the Tennis Courts just adjacent to the Basketball Courts where we currently play and have 3 courts. During the summer we frequently have many more players then can play on the available courts. From our observation the tennis courts are infrequently used and adding a couple of Pickleball Courts (2 PB Courts on one of the Tennis Courts) would not prevent Tennis player from being able to use the second Tennis Courts. We've spoken before of the need for additional PB Courts but you felt that funding for this would not be available. This suggested solution to alleviate the crowding would be the most affordable alternative with the least amount of negative impact. Our Ridgway Pickleball Club would be responsible for painting the lines on the courts so the town would not incur any expense.

Please let me know how you would like us to proceed with our request.

Thanks Jen,  
Gordon

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