

February 19, 2014

Friends of Pier Park

Meeting Minutes

Members present: Mary Ann, Ryan, Kelly, Keola, Erin

Dave Blado from PP&R was present to discuss potential solutions regarding the damaged trees. He believes the trees will survive.

Because the grass is in need of constant replanting, Ryan inquired about a new grass planting program. In addition to the usual spring planting, a fall planting will occur in September or October while the weather is still warm.

Six or seven seed mix test plots are planned to be installed near hole-3 to determine which plant types best withstand high foot-traffic. Mary Ann voted that FoPP pay for experimental seeds for these plots.

In preparation for the World's Disc Gold Tournament in August, Dave is coordinating with Huck-Lab to install new disc baskets. Keola noted that installing new, ADA restroom facilities should also be a priority.

Mary Ann reported that the city's parks budget is larger, but it is still undecided how the funds will be utilized. She has drafted a proposal to the city, which will be previewed at the March 12 meeting.